

1958



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To the best friend a boy  
could ever have. Good Luck  
in the piano playing and  
take it easy. With girls espe-  
cially! John A H

Best of Luck to a nice  
and good friend

Rick  
Be good in 8<sup>th</sup>  
grade & in Mr. Linday  
room he is real nice. Don't  
chose the girls. Good Luck  
Pam

Good Luck to  
a real nice guy.  
Have fun this summer  
Pam B.

Robert Hummels  
Happy Soundings

Rick, Good Luck to  
a real cute kid. Have  
lots of fun this summer  
and next year in 8<sup>th</sup> grade  
Pam & Rick  
Best of Luck  
Linda H.

Lots of luck next  
year. Son Denon

"Rick"  
Be a good boy and  
this summer and  
don't work too hard.  
Good Luck  
Judy M.

Rick,  
Good Luck to a real  
cute and popular boy  
have fun this  
summer. myrna.

Rick  
Have lots of luck  
in examinations.  
Have fun this  
summer. J. L.



Good luck  
in the  
tournament  
Robert  
Nelson

Rick Field 7'  
May 28, 1958

Rick, fun this  
have summer with "DEE"  
Judy  
Blomch

Douglas C. Peck Hi Rick.

Have loads of  
fun this summer and  
stay as nice as  
you are. Luck  
Good Luck  
Barb K

Rick,  
lots of luck  
in your future  
years at S.H.S. They  
sure go fast.  
Carole Vernon

Best wishes  
to a good guy  
Al

Don't work too hard  
this summer!  
Larry Samuels 7-4

To a  
real cool  
kid. Jim

To Rick, you  
all wish you  
the best of luck  
in the rest of  
your Jr. High days.  
But you'll have a  
great time in Senior  
High!  
Coral  
Bayer

I'll see you in 8' (ha-ha)  
Lots of luck.  
"Mike"  
(Coral Fry)

To a real sweet guy  
Good luck +  
Be good!  
Sandy  
Potter



Rick  
 Hope you  
 have lots of fun  
 this summer  
 (Don'ta kiss  
 me too much)

Rick,  
 Good Luck in your  
 exams and have  
 loads of fun this  
 summer.  
 Sylvia Meyers

Hi Rick,  
 Leave the girls to me I see to  
 you hog! Good Luck.  
 Lennie  
 G.  
 James  
 Zechner

Freddie,  
 Good Luck  
 with all the girls  
 to a real cute & nice  
 guy. Keep up the good  
 work on the piano!  
 I hope you have as much  
 fun in 8th grade as I did.  
 Mary  
 (Buttie)

Good Luck in the  
 come years Draft  
 Paula

Rick,  
 I hope you like  
 high school in the  
 coming year good luck!  
 R.A. M.  
 I hope you like  
 the good luck!  
 I hope you like  
 the good luck!  
 I hope you like  
 the good luck!  
 I hope you like  
 the good luck!  
 I hope you like  
 the good luck!



# STURGIS INDIAN



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Sturgis, Michigan

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# *dedication*



A spontaneous vote by the senior class chose a most meritorious person for the 1958 dedication. His twenty-seven years of loyal and energetic service as coach, teacher, and advisor proves him to be the true "Spirit" of S.H.S." His position in our school is the spark that sets all branches of our educational program into operation. This is why the senior class proudly dedicates their yearbook to Principal Robert Miller.

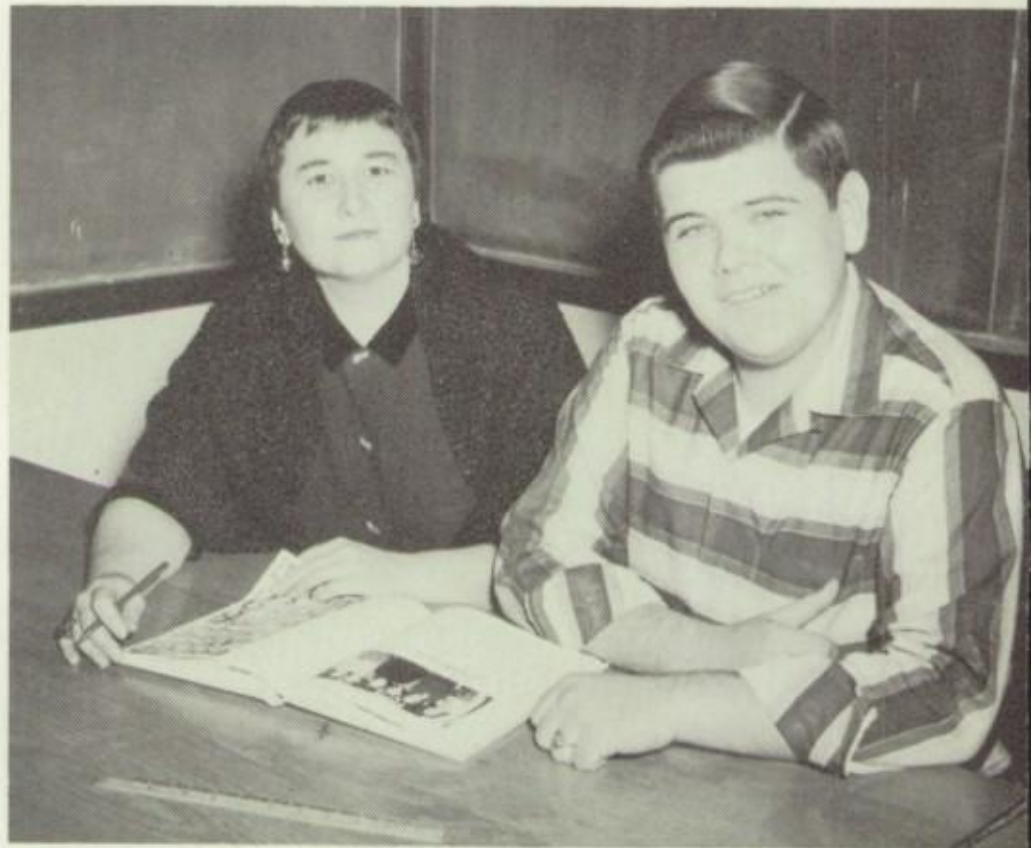


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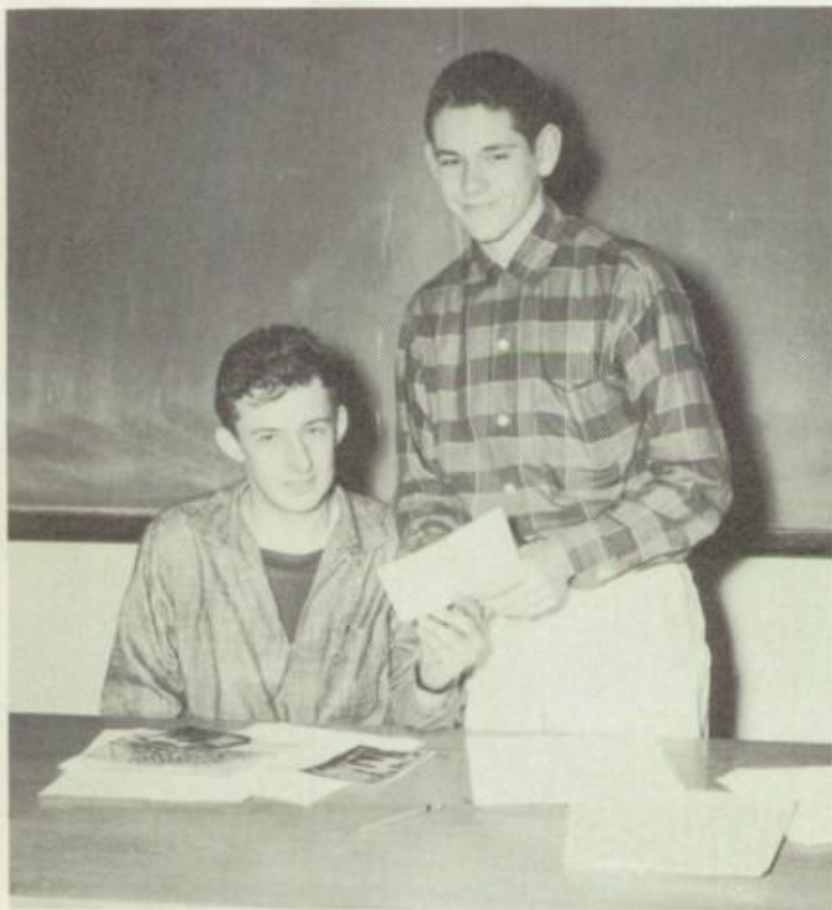
Here is our 1958 Sturgensian. It represents nine months of hard work by the entire Sturgensian staff, under the capable direction of our advisor, Miss Whitelock. Our yearbook's pictorial history was done by our Staff Photographer, Mr. Roy Niles. As you leaf through this yearbook, we hope it brings back many happy memories of your 1958 school year.



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To the Senior Class of 1958

As President of the Board of Education, it is again my pleasure on behalf of the entire Board, to wish the Seniors success in the future and to congratulate the class upon their graduation.

You are going to be faced with new responsibilities very soon and it is the hope of all Board members that you have learned through your school training to assume these responsibilities.

God bless each and every one of you. We all wish you the best of luck in your chosen careers.

Harry Willer



*faculty*





## *administration*



Mr. Fudge, SUPERINTENDENT

Heading the administrative department this year is Mr. Warren J. Fudge, Superintendent. Prior to becoming superintendent of the Sturgis Public Schools, he served as superintendent of the White Pigeon Schools. Superintendent Fudge, with his staff of Miss Bensing, Mrs. Quirin, and Miss Lutz, handles the business transactions for Sturgis High School and the bookkeeping for the Board of Education. They also order and receive supplies, handle extra-curricular activities and class accounts, and distribute the mail and payroll.

Mr. Robert Miller is the principal of the seventh through twelfth grades at Sturgis High School and with his secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Freeland, supervises all administrative details. Among these details are scheduling of extra-curricular activities, checking of absences and tardiness, and generally keeping everything on an even keel. During the summer they are busy tying up loose ends and preparing the next year's schedule.



Mr. Miller and Mrs. Freeland



Miss Barbara Lutz, Miss Bensing, and Mrs. Quirin



*Mary O. Anderson*



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ANDERSON, MARY AB MS  
Language Arts

ASH, VIRGINIA AB  
Languages



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Coach and Mathematics

BITNER, HELEN AB  
Language Arts

BORGERDING, JOHN BS  
Industrial Arts



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Home Economics

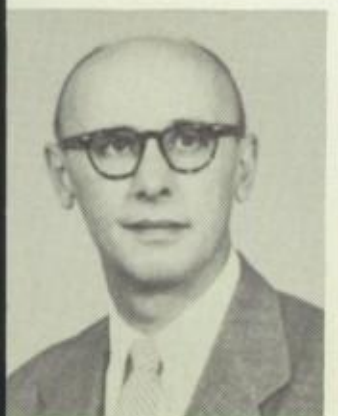
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Commercial

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Carpenter—Industrial Arts

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Commercial

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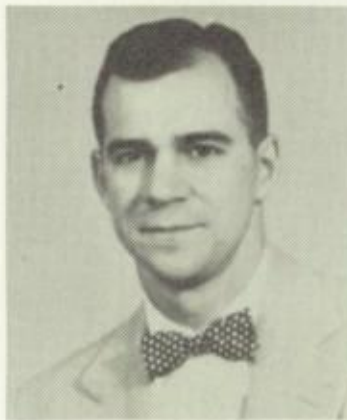
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Coach, Mathematics and Sciences



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REICK, MONA AB  
Language Arts

SCHEETZ, ALICE BS  
Home Economics



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Industrial Arts

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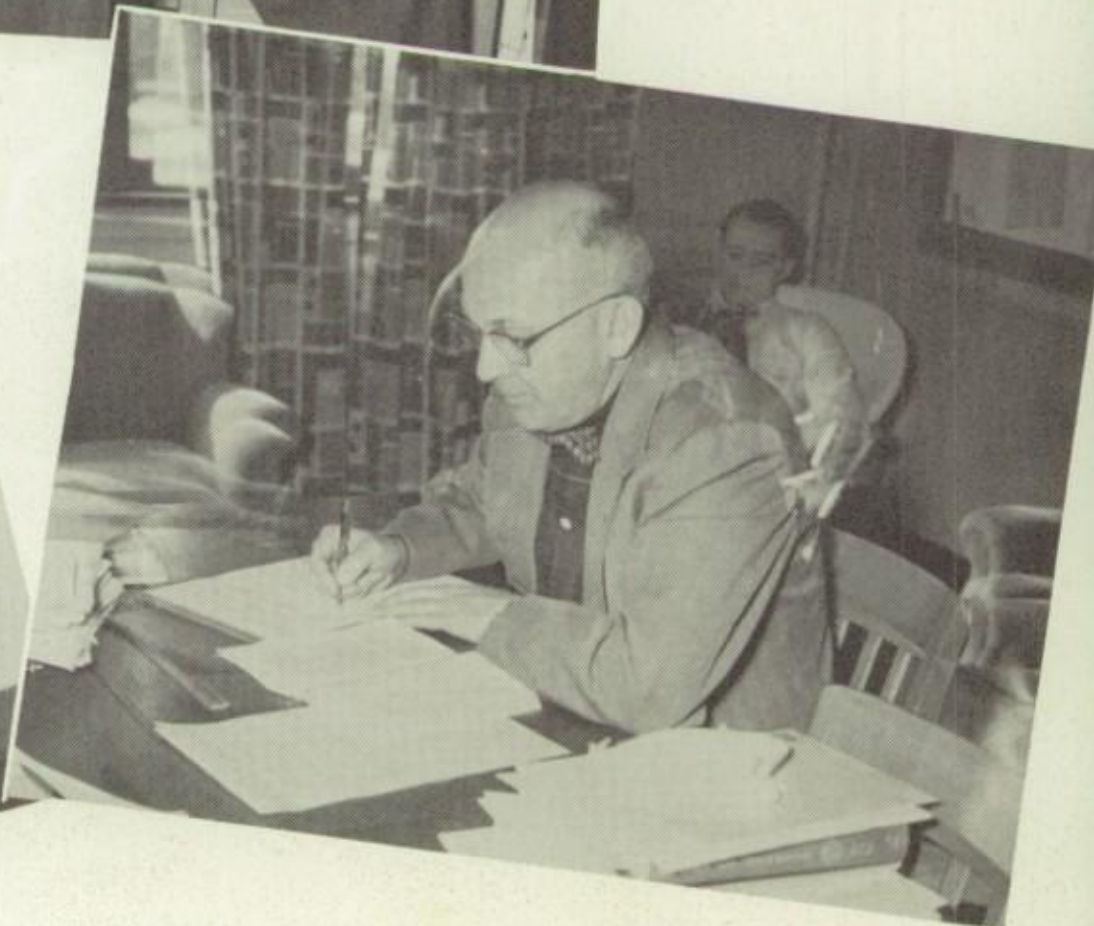
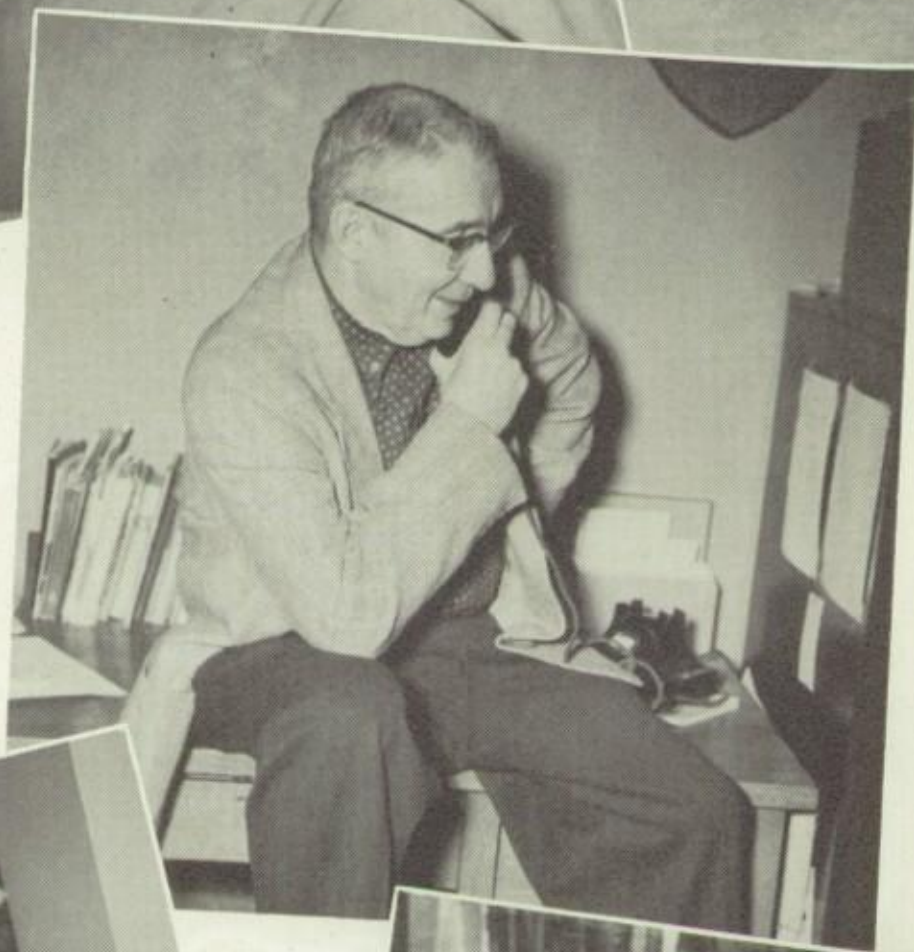
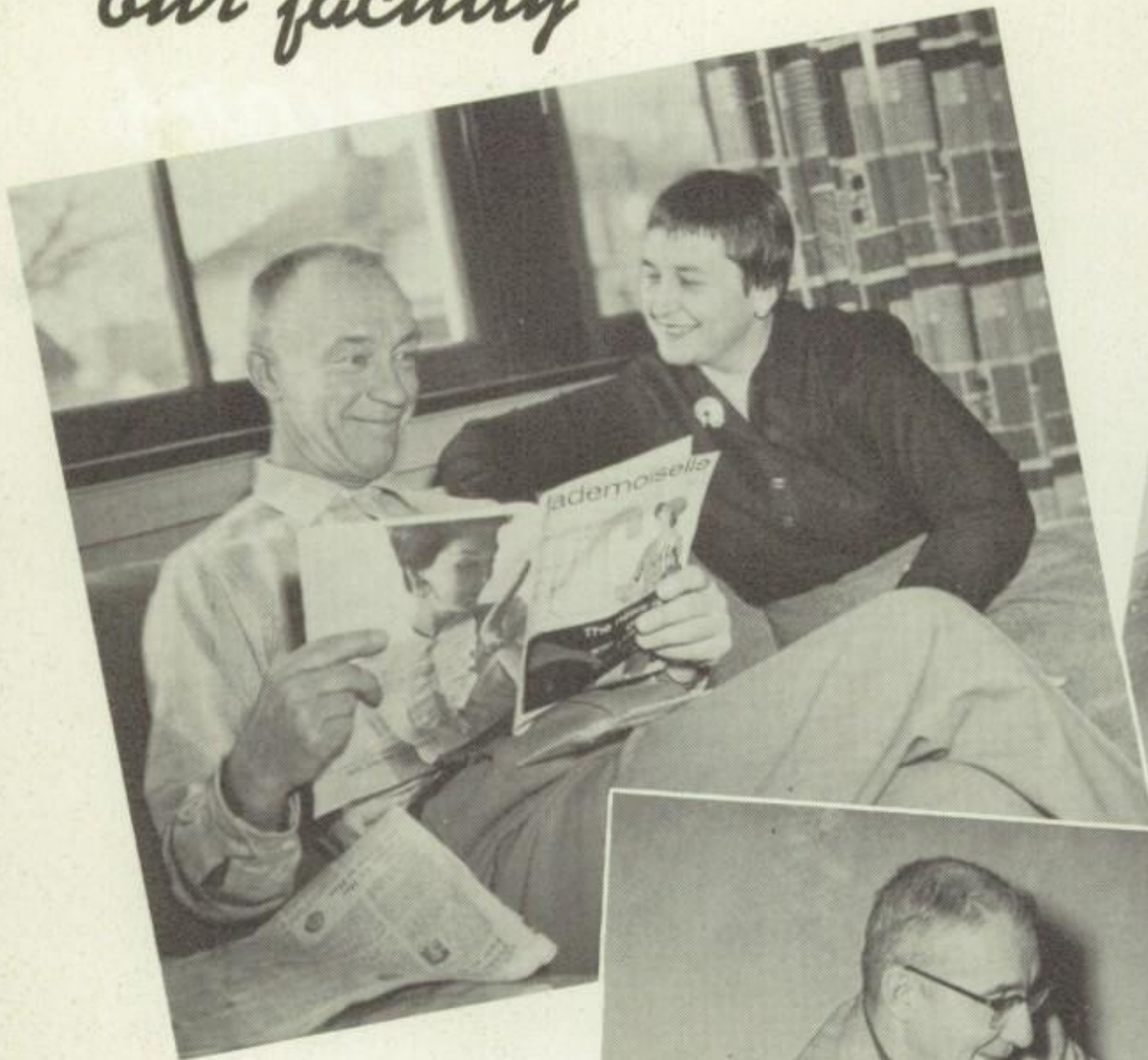
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*seniors*







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CLYDE COMINATOR

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J-Hop Committee; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4



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Football 2; Gov't Day



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Class Officer 1, 4; Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Tennis 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4—Officer 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1; Sr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; J. A. 3; Varsity Club 3, 4



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Co-op 4; Football 1; Wrestling 1



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Gov't Day



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STUART ALLAN REED

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Wrestling 2; Gov't Day; J. A. 3



CHRISTL REICH-ROHRWIG

Senior Play Crew; G. A. A. 4; Linz, Austria Koernerschule, 1st Bundesrealgymnasium fuer Maedchen und Frauen-oberschule





SARA LOUISE RENN

Forensics 1, 4; Co-op 3; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Saginaw High School 2 and 3



JUDITH KAY ROMMEL

Chorus 1, 2, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4



DALE CLARK ROPP

Student Council 4; Class Officer 2; Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Baseball 1; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Varsity Club 3, 4-Officer 4



IRENE BELL ROSINE

Sr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Library Club 1



JANET ANN RYAN

Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-op 4; Jr. Honor Roll; J-Hop Committee; Band 1, 2, 3-Officer 3; Art Club 2; Sr. Play Cast; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G.A.A. 1



MAX H. SAYLES

J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Varsity Club 4; French Club 4



JAMES ROBERT SCHLAGE

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Track 1; Wrestling 1, 2; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day



GERTRUD HEIKE SCHLÜTER

Sr. Play Crew; G.A.A. 4; Stadt-Mathematisch - Naturwissenschaftliches Mädchengymnasium, Dusseldorf, Germany 1, 2, 3



CAROLE SHAFER

G.A.A. 1, 2; Jr. Play Crew; J-Hop Committee; Sr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Trojan Staff; Sturgian Staff



WAYNE SHOOK

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Gov't Day; J. A. 3;





AUDREY MAY SMITH

Cafeteria 1, 2, 3, 4; Gov't Day; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4-Officer 1, 2, 3, 4



JO ANN SMITH

Co-op 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G.A.A. 1, 4



KAREN KAY SMITH

Gov't Day; G.A.A. 1, 2, 4; F.H.A. 1



THOMAS ROBERT STAPLETON

Student Council 1, 2; Class Officer 3, 4; Trojan Staff; Jr. Honor Roll; Sturgensian Staff; J-Hop Committee; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Cast; J.A. 3, 4; Varsity 2, 3, 4-Officer 4



MARY ANN STEWART

Co-op 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; A Capella 3; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day



KAREN STORMS

Chorus 4; Senior Play Crew; Junior Play Crew; Gov't Day



PAUL WILLIAM STRAIT

Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Honor Roll; J-Hop Committee; Band 1, 2, 3, 4—Officer 1, 2, 4; Sr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Cast; Gov't Day; F. T. A. 4



LOIS JEANE STULTS

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; A Capella 1, 2, 3; Gov't Day; G. A. A. 1, 2



DALTON SUMMEY

Co-op 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Gov't Day; J. A. 3.



ALTON DWIGHT SUNDAY

Forensics 2, 3, 4; Co-op 4; Intramurals 1, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; A Capella 2, 3; Wrestling 1; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Cast; Gov't Day





STEWART DUANE SWIHART

J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Tennis 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Varsity Club 4



TERRY A. TAYLOR

Trojan Staff; Sturgensian Staff; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Golf 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; A Capella 1, 2; Sr. Play Cast; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; J.A. 3



RICHARD ROWE THOMAS

Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play Cast; Sr. Play Cast; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; J.A. 3, 4; Sturgensian Staff; Trojan Staff; Gov't Day



JOHN TIBBETTS

Forensics 3; Chorus 4; A Capella 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day



PAUL TREHEARNE

Jr. Honor Roll; Intramurals 2, 3; Football 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4—Officer 4; A Capella 1, 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew Gov't Day



GUS TROMETER

J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2; Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day



MARY ELLEN TROYER

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1; Jr. Play Cast; Sr. Play Cast; Gov't Day; J-Hop Committee; Forensics 1, 2, 3, 4; Trojan Staff; Sturgensian Staff; Library Club 1, 2; Art Club 1, 3



JUDY VAN METER

Jr. Play, Student Director; Sr. Play Crew; Trojan Staff; Gov't Day; Sturgensian Staff; Cheerleading 2, 3, Captain 3, 4; J-Hop Committee; Homecoming Committee; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, Quill and Scroll



FRANK J. WAGNER

Class Officer 3; Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 4; Football 2; Golf 3, 4; Senior Play Crew; Gov't Day; J.A. 3, 4



MARY FRANCES WAGNER

Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day





LYNNE WALLICK

J-Hop Committee; Drama Club 1; Art Club 3; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G. A. A. 1; F. H. A. 1, 2



JANET WALTERS

Co-op 4; Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Chorus 1, 2; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G.A.A. 1, 2;



ROSEMARY KAYE WALTERS

Trojan Staff; Sturgensian Staff; Jr. Play Crew; Sr. Play Crew; Chorus 1; G.A.A. 2; Drama Club 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2; Gov't Day; French Club 4; Forensics 4; Quill and Scroll



SANDRA JO WEHRLY

Co-op 4; Art Club 1, 2; Sr. Play Crew; Gov't Day Library Club 4;



JOHN D. WENZEL, JR.

J-Hop Committee; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Varsity Club 4; Jr. Play Crew



EDNA LOUISE WILDER

Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Chorus 3, 4; Cafeteria 3, 4; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Quincy High School 1 and 2



HURSHEL ARNOLD WILDER

Co-op 4; J-Hop Committee; Gov't Day; Quincy High School 1, 2



BONNIE WILSON

Oak Park High School 1, 2, 3; Chorus 4; Sr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G. A. A. 4



DAVID L. WILSON

Trojan Staff; Jr. Honor Roll; Sturgensian Staff; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day



MARY ISABEL WOODS

Sr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Cast; J-Hop Committee; Chorus 2, 3; A Capella Choir 2, 3; Quill and Scroll; Band 1, 2, 3, 4-Officer 4; Forensics 4; F.T.A. 3, 4; Trojan Staff; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sturgensian Staff; Gov't Day





FLOYD RAY YODER

Class Officer 3; Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Sr. Play Cast; Sr. Play Crew; Jr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; Varsity Club 4



ROSEMARY YOUNG

Trojan Staff; Quill and Scroll; Fensics 1; Jr. Honor Roll; J-Hop Committee; Sturgensian Staff; Chorus 3; Capella 3; Band 1, 2; Sr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Cast; Gov't Day; G.A.A. 1; F.T.A. 3, 4-Officer 4



MARTHA ANN YOUNG

Trojan Staff; Quill and Scroll; Jr. Honor Roll; Sturgensian Staff; Homecoming Committee; Homecoming Court; J-Hop Committee; J-Hop Court; Sr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Cast; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4-Officer 4; F.T.A. 3, 4-Officer 4; Jr. Town Meeting 3



DAVID LEE ZIMMERMAN

Homecoming Committee; J-Hop Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Golf 4; Jr. Play Crew; Gov't Day; J. A. 3; Varsity Club 4

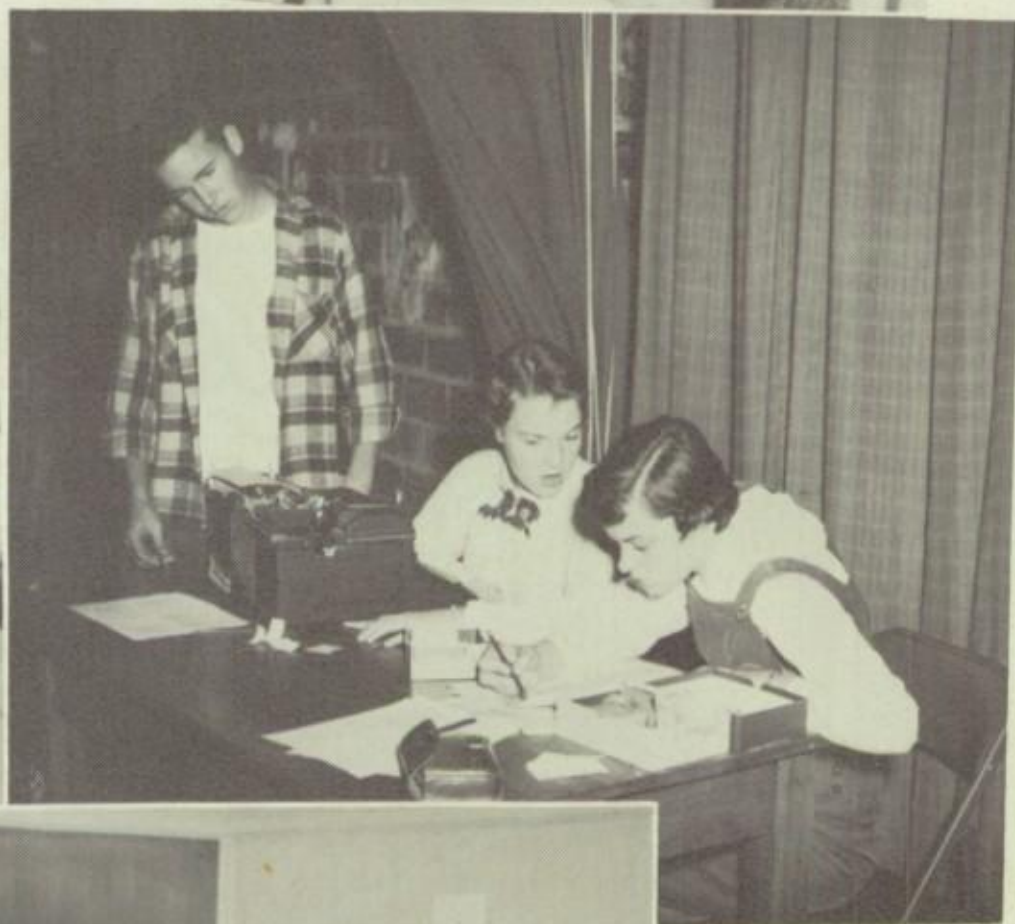
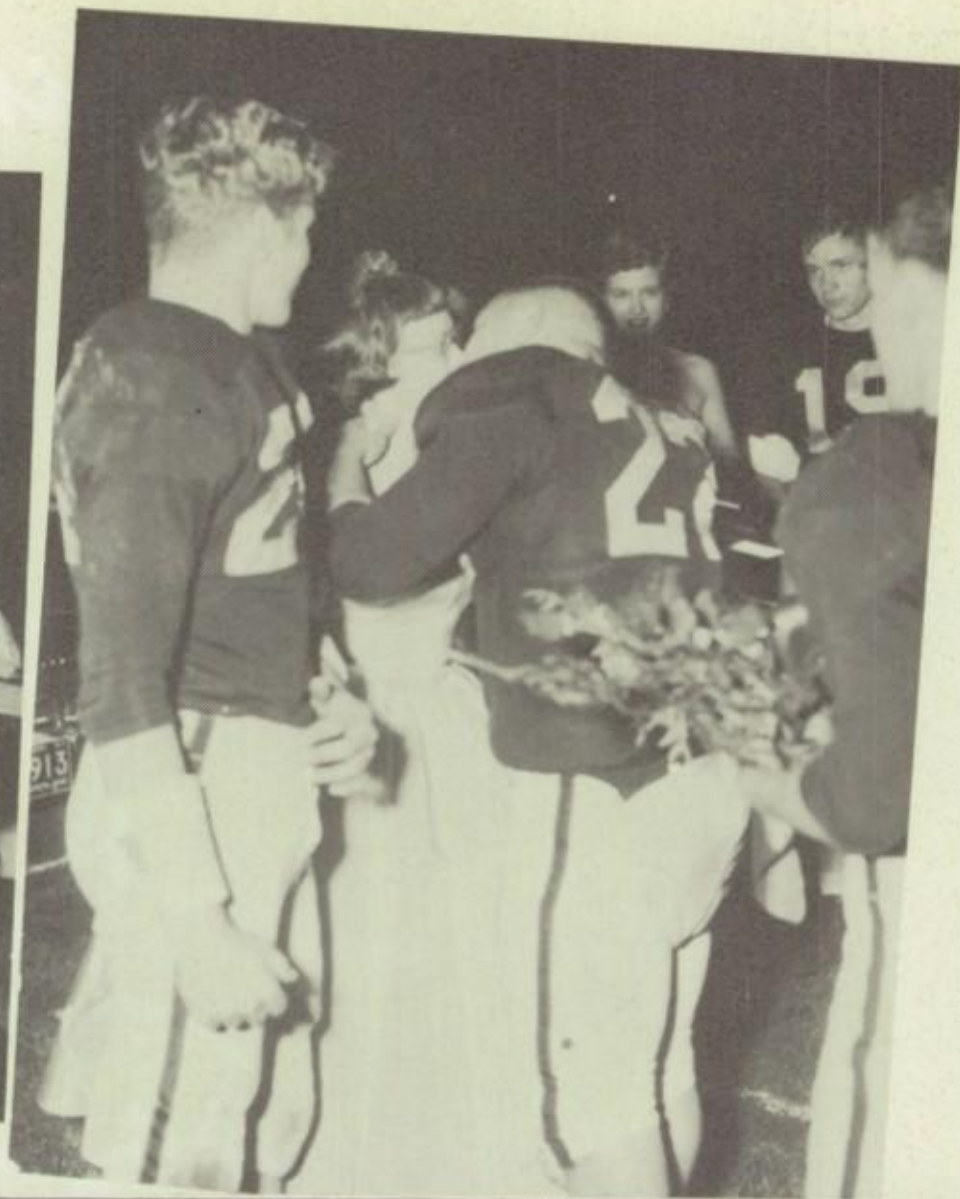
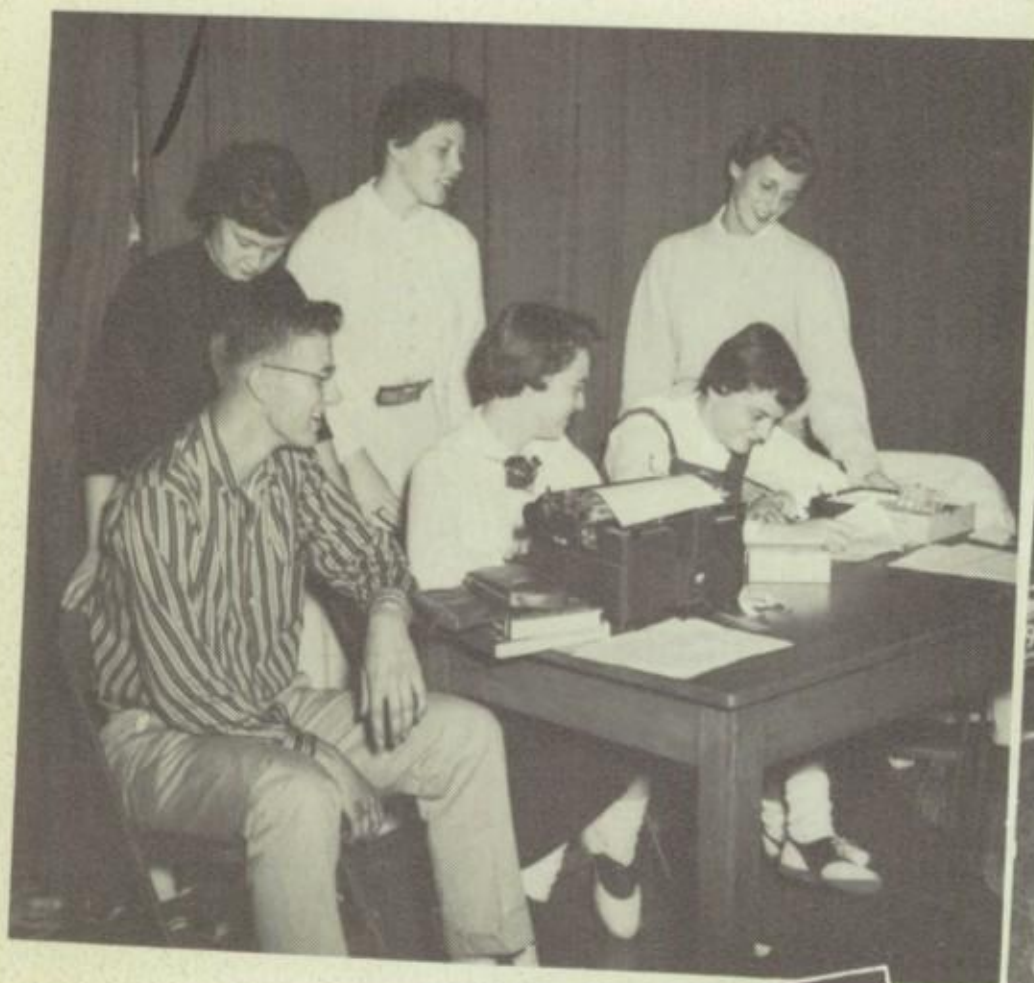


# senior memories





# *senior snapshots*





# *underclassmen*







Left to Right—Jill Freeland, Chuck Barnell, Barbara Briggs, Sam Welty, Judy Bothamley, Janet Horrom.

## *juniors*

There were 150 in this year's Junior Class. Their class officers were Sam Welty, President; Judy Bothamley, Vice-President; Barbara Briggs, Secretary; Jill Freeland, Treasurer; Janet Horrom, carry-over Student Council Representative; and Chuck Barnell, the Student Council Representative elected this year.

Their main source of income is selling food at the concession stands during the football season and selling schedule pencils during the basketball season. In the spring the class presented the annual Junior Play, and later the J-Hop in honor of the Seniors.

The Junior Class sponsors were Mr. William Galberach, chairman; Mr. Kenneth Freeland, Mrs. Robert Boyle, Mr. Keith King, Mrs. Paul Scheetz, and Miss Elizabeth Whitelock. The class sponsors chaperone class parties and aid the class in other activities during the year.



Andrews, Nancy  
 Arklie, Terry  
 Ash, Betty  
 Barnell, Chuck  
 Bauman, Howard



Boaz, Tom  
 Bothamley, Judy  
 Bowdish, Barbara  
 Bowdish, Jerry  
 Bowman, Karen



Braham, Mike  
 Brebner, Judy  
 Briggs, Barbara  
 Briley, Wayne  
 Charron, Sue



Clouse, Judy  
 Crabill, Ellen  
 Crawford, Kay  
 Cross, Bonnie  
 Crossman, Greg



Cummins, Robert  
 Currier, Jim  
 Darby, Dave  
 Darby, Jerry  
 Davis, Gwen



DeHaven, Dave  
 Dowty, Nancy  
 Evert, Richard  
 Fager, Louise  
 Fair, Dorothy



Falkenstein, Charlene  
 Falkenstein, Janet  
 Fenner, Peggy  
 Fisk, Mary  
 Freeland, Jill



Friesner, Gloria  
 Frohriep, Donna  
 Galbreath, Ron  
 George, Karen  
 Gibson, Larry



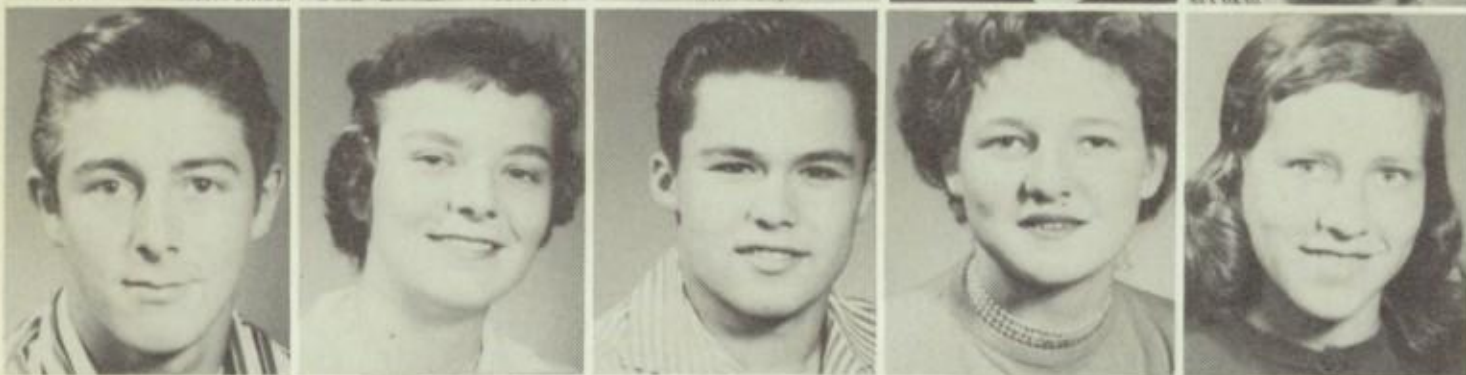




Gilhams, Jim  
Goethals, Mary  
Good, Mary  
Grabe, Dick  
Grate, Larry



Grimes, John  
Grove, Carl  
Harker, Janice  
Hart, Burdena  
Harter, Franklin



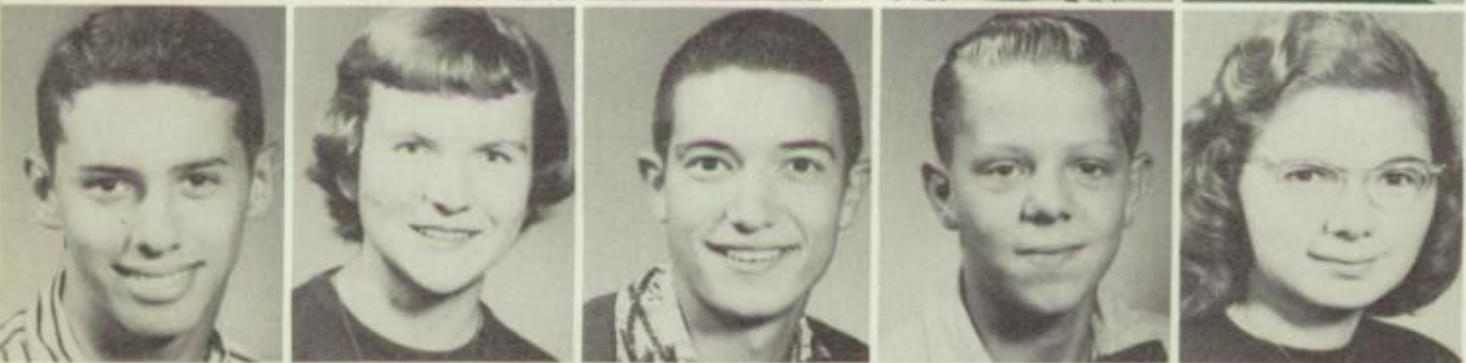
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Holtz, Jean



Holtz, Richard  
Horrom, Janet  
Howell, Jim  
Jamerson, Ron  
Jenkins, Robert



Johnsonbaugh, Mary  
Kalvin, Paul  
Keyser, Sheila  
Kimble, Wayne  
Kime, Mary



Kline, Roger  
Kirby, Nancy  
Kraft, Larry  
Lego, Dave  
Lehmer, Marcia



Leihn, Karen  
Locey, Florence  
MacPherson, John  
Magnus, Ronald  
Malloy, Dave



Mark, Karen  
Marks, Roger  
Mayer, Sally  
McKerlie, Charles  
Mieras, Janet



Milliman, Beverly  
 Milliman, Roger  
 Moore, Dorothy  
 Nelson, Dan  
 Norton, Melody



Ott, Alan  
 Parker, John  
 Parker, Tom  
 Parnin, Dave  
 Parr, Bonnie



Perrin, Cynthia  
 Perry, Karen  
 Powers, Sue  
 Prentice, Judy  
 Purdy, Ed



Quinn, Lee  
 Quirin, Gene  
 Reed, Charles  
 Reed, Mary  
 Ritter, Elva



Rivers, Myrtle  
 Robbins, Sharon  
 Rommel, Joanna  
 Routsong, Dan  
 Royeton, Jim



Runyan, Ruth  
 Schrader, Jeffry  
 Schroeder, Sharon  
 Sherman, Lana  
 Siegel, Joan



Sites, Sam  
 Smith, Ellen  
 Smith, Louise  
 Smith, Marty  
 Stevens, Virginia



Studeman, Kenneth  
 Stump, Ruth  
 Sullivan, Billie  
 Summey, Janice  
 Tarr, Myron







Teadt, Janice  
Thomas, Linda  
Thomas, William  
Thompson, Dixie  
Tisdell, Marilyn



Todd, Jerry  
Toth, Karl  
Van Vorst, Melvin  
Van Zile, Judy  
Wallman, Larry



Washburn, Nancy  
Weaver, Sue  
Weaver, Sally  
Wegner, Beverly  
Welty, Sam



Wenzel, Dennis  
Wheeler, Eugene  
Wiedlea, Jane  
Wilder, Marlene  
Will, Gloria



Wilson, Lois  
Wilson, Richard  
Wright, Virginia  
Young, Carole  
Zollman, Lillian



# sophomores



Top Row—Pat Porter, Bob Forrest, Dan Gerow  
Bottom Row—Linda Dibble, Sandra Potter, Mary Finlay

Last fall, the sophomore class of 1958 held their election. The results revealed: Robert Forrest, President; Dan Gerow, Vice President; Linda Dibble, Secretary; Pat Porter, Treasurer; and Sandra Potter, Student Council Representative for two years. Mary Finley was the hold over Student Council Representative from last year.

The sponsors of this prosperous class are: Mr. J. C. Perry, Mr. Hugh Tyler, Mrs. Alta Anderson, Mr. Cecil DeHaven, and Mrs. Helen Bitner. Mr. Perry is the acting chairman. The sponsors advise at all class meetings, parties, and other class functions.

As in past years, the class earned money by checking hats and coats at all home basketball games in the alumni room. Another project was the sponsoring of a spring dance.

Blanchard, Joyce  
Bowdish, Alice  
Carver, Zoellen  
Perkins, Gus







Abbs, Judith  
Addison, Cynthia  
Agle, Randy  
Alderman, Mary  
Anderson, Merrilee



Ash, Joann  
Ayres, Betsy  
Babka, Mary  
Baker, Annette  
Baker, Dennis



Baker, Sharon  
Barnhart, Janice  
Bauman, Martha  
Benson, Judy  
Besser, Janice



Bixler, David  
Blanchard, John  
Blood, Robert  
Bobay, Ronald  
Bogen, Sandy



Bordner, Ben  
Bowdish, Dwight  
Bricker, Caryl  
Broadwell, Sherry  
Brothers, Ishmael



Brothers, James  
Brumbaugh, Steve  
Brouse, Linda  
Bunce, Chuck  
Bunge, Mary



Burkhead, Bill  
Carpenter, Mary  
Carpenter, Sharon  
Carter, Sandra  
Cleveland, Edwin



Clouse, Barbara  
Condon, Mary  
Conrad, Linda  
Cox, Michael  
Crain, Sandra



Craw, Patricia  
Crowell, Shari  
Curtis, Carl  
Davis, Sharon  
Dell, LaDonna



DeWitt, Warren  
Dibble, Linda  
Dillivan, Dan  
Dobberteen, Dave  
Dougan, Sharon



Dragoo, Francis  
Draime, Linda  
Dumont, Joe  
Eberhard, Edna  
Eckert, Mike



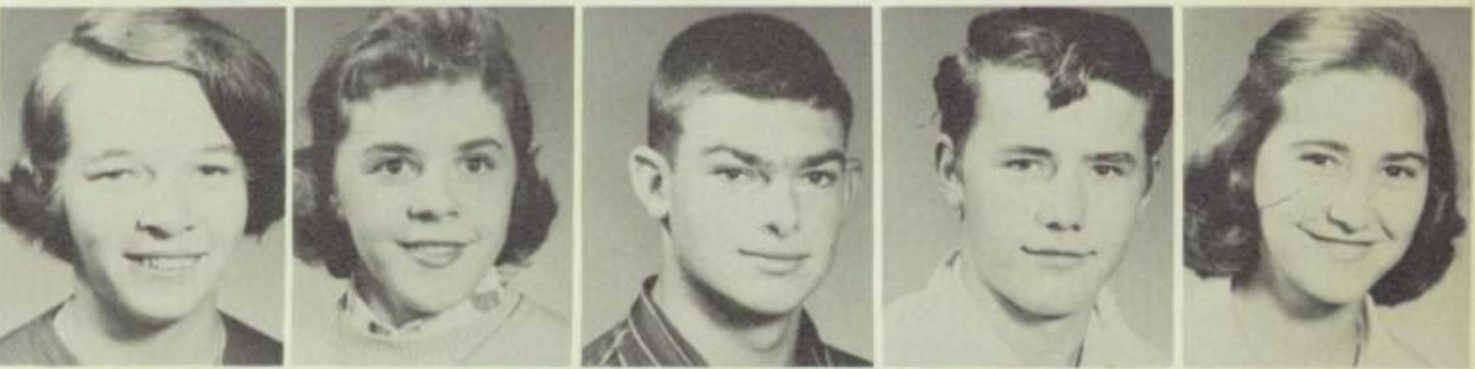
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Fair, Mary  
Finlay, Mary  
Firth, Gerald  
Forrest, Jean



Forrest, Robert  
Fox, Brenda  
Fraylick, Karen  
Freeland, Wes  
Frohriep, Sharon



Garden, Armetia  
Gay, Adgate  
Gerow, Dan  
Gibson, Jerry  
Gilbo, Marilyn



Godden, Violet  
Goodrich, Margie  
Grate, Kathryn  
Griffioen, Don  
Guilford, Vicki



Gump, Edward  
Haack, Bill  
Hackenburg, Barbara  
Hahn, Ray  
Hammonds, William







Harter, Evan  
Harter, Jim  
Hayden, Bruce  
Hecht, Doug  
Hills, Sharon



Hilton, Susan  
Holtz, Gary  
Hopkins, Marshall  
Horning, Ronald  
Hovda, Marilyn



Howard, Janet  
Howard, Roger  
Hudson, Gabriel  
Huggins, Emmitt  
Hunt, Marsha



Jackson, Sharron  
Jesse, Sue  
Johnson, Kendra  
Jokela, Carl  
Kasmauskis, Allen



Keagle, John  
Keller, Donald  
King, Mary  
King, Ronald  
Krause, Rosanne



Kulpinski, Philip  
Lahmeyer, Denise  
Laws, Authur  
Lepard, Paul  
Littlefield, Louise



Littlefield, Luann  
Locey, David  
Lyons, Jean  
Lori, David  
Machan, William



McCarthy, Terry  
Main, Judy  
Maloney, Betty  
McHuron, Joan  
Millett, Jeffrey



Mollsen, Jim  
 Monroe, Sharon  
 Moulton, Pat  
 Mustone, Judy  
 Nelson, Betty



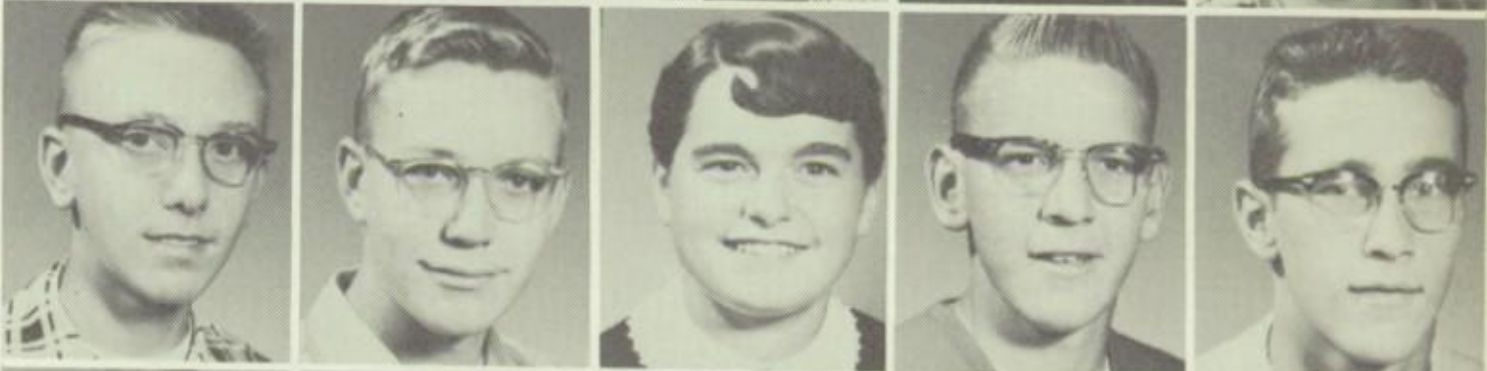
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 Nusbaum, Donald  
 Olds, Sharon  
 Ott, Melvin  
 Pagels, Jeanne



Parlin, Gary  
 Paxton, Karen  
 Perkins, Billy  
 Peterson, Roy  
 Pierson, Charles



Pinney, Jerry  
 Pinney, Steven  
 Porst, Judy  
 Porter, Judy  
 Porter, Pat



Potter, Sandra  
 Powers, Sally  
 Prince, Patty  
 Probst, Andrew  
 Prough, Robert



Rambadt, Sarah  
 Reed, Sally  
 Reichard, David  
 Reuter, Roderick  
 Reynolds, Leon



Riska, Sally  
 Sayles, Charlotte  
 Schlage, Robert  
 Seybert, Jeanne  
 Sites, Charles



Slingerland, Dave  
 Smith, Ren  
 Somers, Karen  
 Sponsel, Ray  
 Stewart, Ray







Sturgis, Matthew  
Swihart, Gene  
Tallman, Toni  
Tarr, Marjorie  
Theismann, Carol



Thomasma, Robert  
Tibbott, Sonya  
Tobias, Robert  
Troyer, Barbara  
Van Zile, Andrea



Wagner, Jim  
Walker, Bob  
Waltke, Grace  
Webster, Joyce  
Webster, Thomas



Wetzel, Marlene  
White, John  
Williamson, Paul  
Wilson, Lynne  
Young, Jim



# freshmen



Left to Right—Dave Grabe, Dennis McCarthy, Sally Sites, Ron Kreps, Rudy Quirin, Tom Smusz

The class of 1962 was the largest in our high school this year. The enrollment included 221 students! The President was Tom Smusz; Vice-President, Ron Kreps; Secretary, David Grabe; Treasurer, Rudy Quirin; a carry-over Student Council Representative from last year, Sally Sites; and two-year Representative, Dennis McCarthy.

The class sponsors were Mr. Harold Bowdish, chairman, with Mr. Robert Tripp, Mr. Lou Lori, Mrs. Eva Wheat, Mrs. Nancy Grant, and Mrs. Virginia Ash. These faculty sponsors advised the class in their plans for dances, parties, pep meetings, and other projects. Many freshmen boys were responsible for the success of our reserve football and basketball teams.

An innovation formulating more efficiency and a closer relationship as a class was accomplished through monthly class meetings.





Allen, Mike  
Anderson, Charles  
Andrews, Kay  
Andreyka, Jean  
Ankney, Annjeanette



Arney, Martha  
Ash, Warren  
Augerbright, Earl  
Baker, Elsie  
Barnell, Jane



Blaskie, Daniel  
Bogen, Judy  
Bohyer, Anita  
Bohyer, James  
Bontrager, Alva



Boocher, Mary  
Borkholder, Amanda  
Borkowski, Tom  
Boughton, John  
Bowdish, Janet



Bowsher, Marcia  
Boyle, Mike  
Bradley, Sharon  
Brooks, Mary Jane  
Brown, Margaret



Bundy, Jerry  
Burkhead, Mona  
Burton, Joyce  
Cameron, William  
Carpenter, James



Casey, Mike  
Chapman, Linda  
Clark, Judy  
Clark, Roy  
Clark, Susan



Clouse, Alice  
Clouse, Mary  
Clouse, Terry  
Conrad, Carol  
Cook, Linda





Cox, Norine  
Crabill, Thomas  
Crissey, Carl  
Curry, Tom  
Darby, Mike



Davis, John  
Davis, Mark  
Dell, Richard  
Donley, Robert  
Droud, Joyce



Ebel, Dennis  
Eckert, Ted  
Eggen, Betty  
Elliott, Linda  
Elliott, Richard



Falkenstein, David  
Falkenstein, Jon  
Fisher, Bill  
Flowers, Richard  
Freeman, James



Frick, Brenda  
Friesner, Lynn  
Frohriep, Joan  
Frost, Robert  
Fry, Barbara



Gazley, Susan  
Gillette, Fred  
Gose, Barbara  
Grabe, David  
Grabe, Douglas



Graff, Linda  
Grasky, Jane  
Gustafson, Chris  
Hardesty, Diana  
Hart, Mary



Hartsell, Janet  
Hawkins, Terry  
Hay, Lynette  
Hayden, Floyd  
Hodgson, Linda





Holtz, Linda  
Holtz, Terry  
Hoover, Roxy  
Horrom, Roger  
Howard, Carol



Hunt, Tom  
Huss, David  
Jannotta, Harvey  
Jenner, Carole  
Jones, David



Jones, Raymond  
Jourdan, Brenda  
Kasmauskis, Norman  
Keagle, Jean  
Keller, Karen



Kelley, Dorothy  
Kelley, David  
Kelly, Alan  
Kelly, Joy  
Kime, Judy



Kitson, Phil  
Kline, Lewjean  
Krause, Kenneth  
Kreps, Ronnie  
Kroll, Florence



Krantz, Bruce  
Kulpinski, Patricia  
Lain, Gayle  
Large, Robert  
Laughlin, Charles



Lawniczak, Marion  
Lawniczak, Ronald  
Leatherman, Virgil  
Lilly, Andrea  
Lindman, Ted



Long, Richard  
Losey, Penny  
Losey, Susan  
Luedders, Jerry  
Lytle, Robert



Machan, Jean  
 Malone, Patricia  
 Martin, Eleanor  
 Mayer, Anita  
 McCammon, Michael



McCarthy, Dennis  
 Melchi, Eugene  
 Mildenberg, Jeanine  
 Morrison, Lejeune  
 Mundy, William



Munk, Carol  
 Myers, Pat  
 Norton, Luanne  
 Norton, Suanne  
 Otto, Margie



Oxender, Marjorie  
 Parish, John  
 Patrick, Larry  
 Perkins, Patricia  
 Pfenning, Nancy



Pierce, Rose Ann  
 Pierson, Paula  
 Poffenberger, Terry  
 Poley, Diana  
 Postma, Renn



Quinn, Marsha  
 Quirin, Rudy  
 Rayner, Dolores  
 Reed, Kathryn  
 Reuter, Steve



Richards, Mary Ann  
 Ridley, Terry  
 Riley, Otis  
 Rippey, Hisle  
 Riska, Joe



Ritter, Thurman  
 Roberts, Dan  
 Rohrer, Lloyd  
 Royals, Vivian  
 Sadewasser, Phyllis







Sargent, Carole  
Sauer, Linda  
Schmidt, Helen  
Schrock, Sharon  
Schroeder, Harold



Schroeder, Kathy  
Schutz, Sharon  
Schwartz, Ronald  
Sheldon, Judy  
Sherman, Robert



Shippett, Herbert  
Siegel, Sonda  
Simpson, Betty  
Sites, Sally  
Smith, Frances



Smith, Leland  
Smith, Lillian  
Smurr, David  
Smusz, Thomas  
Spaniola, Carol



Sprowl, Sandra  
Stevens, David  
Stewart, Nancy  
Storms, Mary  
Straehly, David



Strange, John  
Stroup, Dan  
Stroup, Sharon  
Stultz, Robert  
Swihart, Bonnie



Teeters, Carolyn  
Thomasma, Kathleen  
Tisdell, Donald  
Troyer, Jake  
Turner, Brent



Urlick, Marjorie  
Van Meter, Terry  
Van Vorst, Zola  
Vernon, Carole  
Wagner, Dixie



Wagner, Ann  
 Wallman, Douglas  
 Walter, Betty  
 Weaver, Brian  
 Webster, Carol



Wehrly, Gail  
 Weitting, Don  
 Weske, Ward  
 West, Alice  
 Wilbur, Karma



Williams, Bill  
 Wilson, Laird  
 Wingfield, Loran  
 Wyer, Linda  
 Yunker, Stephen





*student*

*snapshots*





*junior high*

GRADUATION  
952½ mi.







Left to Right—Judy Miller, Melissa Brebner, Kay Forrest, Steve Eckert, Harriet Finlay, Jack Meyers

## 8th grade

*Go a real small guy  
have lots of fun this summer  
+ good luck with  
Dee. Lissa*

*Go a real  
nice guy and a permanent  
fan, good luck in this  
the future, see you this  
summer. Goodbye  
Finlay*

The eighth grade started this year with an enrollment of 184. Election returns were as follows: President, Steve Eckert; Vice President, Judy Miller; Secretary, Jack Meyers; Treasurer, Melissa Brebner; Student Council Representative for two years, Harriet Finlay; and the hold-over representative, Kay Forrest.

With their sponsors, Mr. Robert Finlay, Mrs. Mona Reick, Mr. Roger Bates, Mr. Jack Grant, and Mrs. Lenore Moss, they made their annual two-day trip to the "Windy City". Interesting places visited by the eighth graders while in Chicago included the Museum of Natural History, the Board of Trade, the Stock Exchange, and the Museum of Science and Industry. They also were able to see the "Ice Capades". In February they sponsored a dance at the youth center.



Adams, Linda  
Addison, Robert  
Altimus, Tom  
Ambler, Richard  
Ankney, Jerry



Arklie, Brenn  
Ash, Mike  
Baker, Roger  
Bayer, Carol  
Bee, Susan



Beers, Jim  
Besser, Mike  
Bibb, Teresa  
Bixler, Diane  
Blood, Janice



Bontrager, Rosa  
Boughton, Jack  
Boughton, Judy  
Bower, Gary  
Boyden, Jim



Braham, Pam  
Brebner, Melissa  
Brothers, Tom  
Brown, Russell  
Brubaker, Mary



Butz, George  
Carpenter, John  
Cashour, Priscilla  
Casner, Jane  
Covey, Alan



Crissey, Laura  
Crites, Larry  
Crossman, Barbara  
Cunningham, Carol  
Currier, Richard



DeHaven, Jim  
Dibble, Chuck  
Diggins, David  
Dillen, Joan  
Doudt, Roger







Dougan, Myrna  
Dowty, Sandra  
Draime, Karen  
Dull, Bruce  
Dumont, Douglas



Dunkleberger, Mike  
Durnell, Dennis  
Dyball, Mary Lou  
Eckert, Steve  
Ellis, Tandra



Evert, Dan  
Fair, Judy  
Falkenstein, Gary  
Falkenstein, Neal  
Finlay, Harriet



Firth, Barbette  
Flowers, Cleatus  
Forrest, Kay  
Fry, Douglas  
Garnett, Louise



Geardk, Janice  
Gest, Sally  
Gould, Dan  
Graff, Charles  
Grosky, Karen



Gushwa, James  
Haller, Douglas  
Hammonds, Ann  
Harter, Fred  
Harter, Jackie



Hartsell, Charles  
Hathaway, Ronnie  
Hawkins, June  
Hearld, Dave  
Hecht, David



Hinchen, Charles  
Hinshaw, Donald  
Holshuh, Karen  
Holtz, Doug  
Holtz, Linda



Hostetler, Donald  
Houck, Susan  
Hunsberber, Sue  
Jacobs, Hilda  
Jacobs, Robert



Jeffery, Connie  
Johnsonbough, Ed  
Johnston, Robert  
Jordan, Pat  
Jorn, George



Kambol, Toni  
Kane, Linda  
Keim, Robert  
Kershner, Kim  
Kidd, Mike



Kimble, Janet  
Kronberg, Barbara  
Kunzie, Elaine  
Lahmeyer, Connie  
LeRoque, Gilbert



Lichty, John  
Lock, Judy  
Long, Benny  
Lough, Virginia  
Lower, Gail

*So a Real  
Cool Cat John Lichty*



Lung, Judy  
MacPherson, Darlene  
Marshall, Kathy  
McElhenie, Rick  
McLaughlin, Clyde



Mecklenburg, David  
Mercer, Nancy  
Mettler, Doris  
Meyers, Jack  
Miller, Judy



Millett, Pamela  
Misner, Jim  
Molter, Carrol  
Myers, Dan  
Myers, Sylvia







Nelson, Mary Lou  
Newman, Jane  
Noel, Ellen  
Nordahl, Dick  
Owen, Susan



Palmer, Steve  
Parker, Chuck  
Penn, Judy  
Perry, Robert  
Phillips, Ken



Plants, David  
Potts, Mike  
Pursel, Penny  
Remenap, Mark  
Ritter, Sheldon



Roberts, Warren  
Rolston, Russelyn  
Routsong, Mary  
Ryan, Jim  
Schaeffer, Larry



Schmidt, Nancy  
Schmidt, Norma  
Schrock, Victoria  
Schwartz, Barbara  
Smith, Jim



Smith, Margaret  
Smith, Sue  
Spearow, Bonnie  
Swartz, David  
Tibbott, Eileen



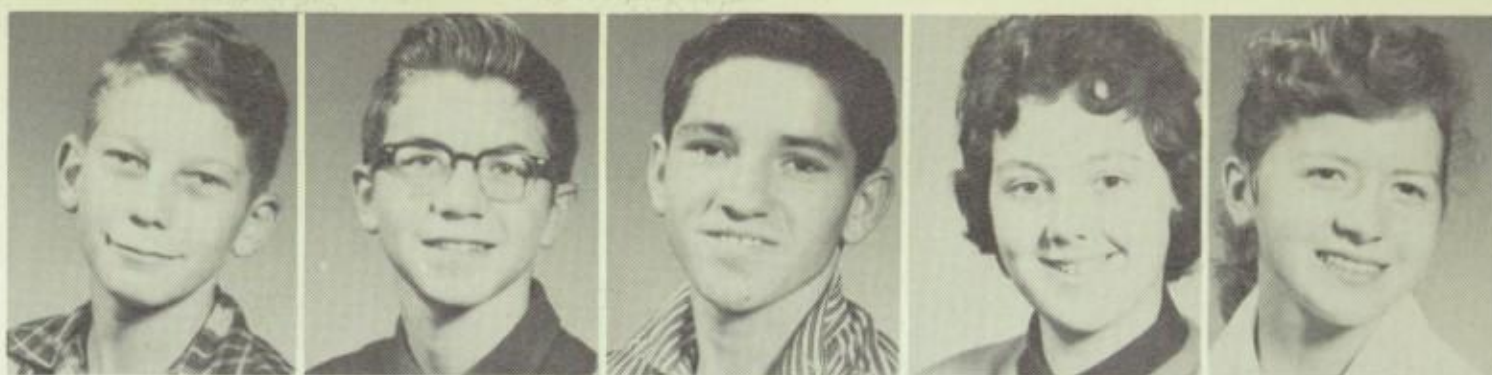
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Van Why, Vernon  
Van Zile, Douglas  
Vroman, Anna  
Wagg, Linda



Washburn, Janet  
Wegner, David  
Weiting, Janice  
Welty, Joe  
Werner, Tom



Will, Roger  
Williamson, John  
Wilson, Kenneth  
Wolf, Linda  
Wolfe, Margaret



Woods, Jane  
Woods, Jean  
Yoder, Joanne  
Young, Grover  
Young, Linda



Carlisle, Larry  
Cross, John  
Dunham, Albert  
Falkenstein, Harold  
Hart, Stella



Lego, Dan  
Pfenning, Ron  
Tobias, Archie  
Taylor, Jan  
Waldron, Raymond



Walters, Billy  
Van Zile, Billy  
Van Zile, Chuck







Left to Right—Jamie Kershner, Rick Fields, Steve Stonehouse, Paul Roe, Deanne Walker, Ron McCreery

*Take it easy  
with Deane  
have fun this  
summer. Buzz*

*Rick,  
Here's hoping  
you have much  
happiness in the  
future of your friend,  
Dee*

**7th grade**

This year, one hundred and forty-one students were enrolled in the seventh grade. It was a new and exciting experience for them to pass from class to class, but they quickly adjusted to the procedure.

Among the many interesting activities of the seventh grade this year, was a class party in which they all participated. The officers elected by the seventh grade this year were: President, Ronnie McCreery; Vice-President, Rick Field; Secretary, James Kerchner; Treasurer, Steve Stonehouse; Student Council Representative for two years, Paul Roe; and Representative for one year, Deanna Walker.

The sponsors of the seventh grade class are: Miss Floiad Collins, Mr. David Dillon, Mr. Schuyler Pletcher, Mrs. Mildred Huff, and Miss Mary Anderson.

We hope the seventh graders will enjoy all their years at Sturgis High as much as they did this one.



Adams, Tom  
Ake, Max  
Augerbright, Paul  
Avery, Pam  
Ayres, Allen

*Best  
Wishes  
Bill Ayres*

Baker, Shelby Jean  
Barnell, Rebecca  
Bibb, Robert  
Bibb, Sammy  
Blackburn Sandra

*Jean  
Baker*

Borkowski, LoEsa  
Bothamley, Carol  
Bowman, Sandra  
Brunson, Barbara  
Bunn, Howard

*Carol  
Bothamley*

Carper, Roger  
Carver, Judy  
Church, Sanford  
Clark, Judy  
Cleveland, Suzann

*Suzann  
Cleveland*

Crissey, Lillian  
Crouch, Carlton  
Deal, Kay  
Dell, Regina  
Dorn, Stanley

Dragoo, Paula  
Emery, Richard  
Engle, Jean  
Fager, Gene  
Field, Rick

Fraylick, Paula  
Frost, Don  
Fry, Alan  
Fry, Carol  
Galbreath, Vicki

*Don Frost*

Garvey, Ted  
Gerchow, Sharon  
Gerow, Tom  
Gilbo, James  
Gonser, Larry







Grabe, Norman  
Gwinther, Tom  
Haack, Diane  
Hagen, Harriet  
Hammond, Bob

*Good luck in the future to come Norman Grabe*



Hawver, Susan  
Heidenreich, Linda  
Hetzler, Linda  
Holliday, Mary  
Holtz, James

*But make sure you get your books down*



Hopkins, Randy  
Horning, Susan  
Jenner, Bud  
Jordan, George  
Kordorf, Allen



Kellay, Dan  
Keller, Leland  
Kerchner, James  
Keyser, Wayne  
Kimbrough, Ruth

*Don't miss this to much*



Kolassa, Gail  
Kroll, Phyllis  
Large, Bruce  
Lawson, Larry  
Lenman, Judy

*Carol L. Large*



Leihn, Tom  
Leonard, Richard  
Lingg, Carol  
Littlefield, Dorothy  
Lock, Frances

*Bruce Large*



Mall, Suzanne  
Mann, Candy  
McCreery, Bob  
McCreery, Ronny  
McLaughlin, Linda

*Ronnie McCreery*



McLaughlin, Patty  
Merchant, Robert  
Miller, Cheryl  
Miller, Deldon  
Miller, Richard

*Robert Merchant*



Mooney, Mary  
Morey, Rex  
Murphy, Diane  
Myers, Douglas  
Myers, Mary

*Mary*

*Doug Myers*

*myers*

*"Sam"*

*Pam Myers*

Myers, Pamela  
Nelson, Robert  
Ott, John  
Owen, Jeff  
Pagels, Virgil

Peck, Douglas  
Peckham, Susan  
Perkins, Susan  
Persing, Richard  
Poorman, Judy

Pringle, Sharon  
Pueschel, John  
Purdy, Anne  
Reed, Eugene  
Rider, Roy

*Roy Rider*

Ritter, Katherine  
Roberts, Wallace  
Roe, Judy  
Roe, Paul  
Rose, Derma

*Dan Schmick*

Rosine, Tommy  
Routsong, Carol  
Royer, Jim  
Samuels, Larry  
Schmick, Dan

*Real Nice*

Sheldon, Mary  
Shemberger, Kaylor  
Shirley, Bruce  
Smith, Gary  
Somes, Karen

*Raylor*

Spearow, Ruth  
Stevens, Marvin  
Stonehouse, Steve  
Stutz, Marty  
Suits, Robert







Summey, Ronnie  
 Sunday, Betty  
 Swartz, Judy  
 Teadt, Joan  
 Thomas, Debbie



Townsend, Alice  
 Tracy, Linda  
 Trometer, Susan  
 Van Meter, Patsy  
 Wagner, Jane



Walker, Dee  
 Washburn, John  
 Weaver, Lawrence  
 Weaver, Linda  
 Westphal, Mary



White, Doug  
 Wilbur, Douglas  
 Willsey, Victor  
 Wyer, Gary  
 Wyer, Keith



Yunker, Mike

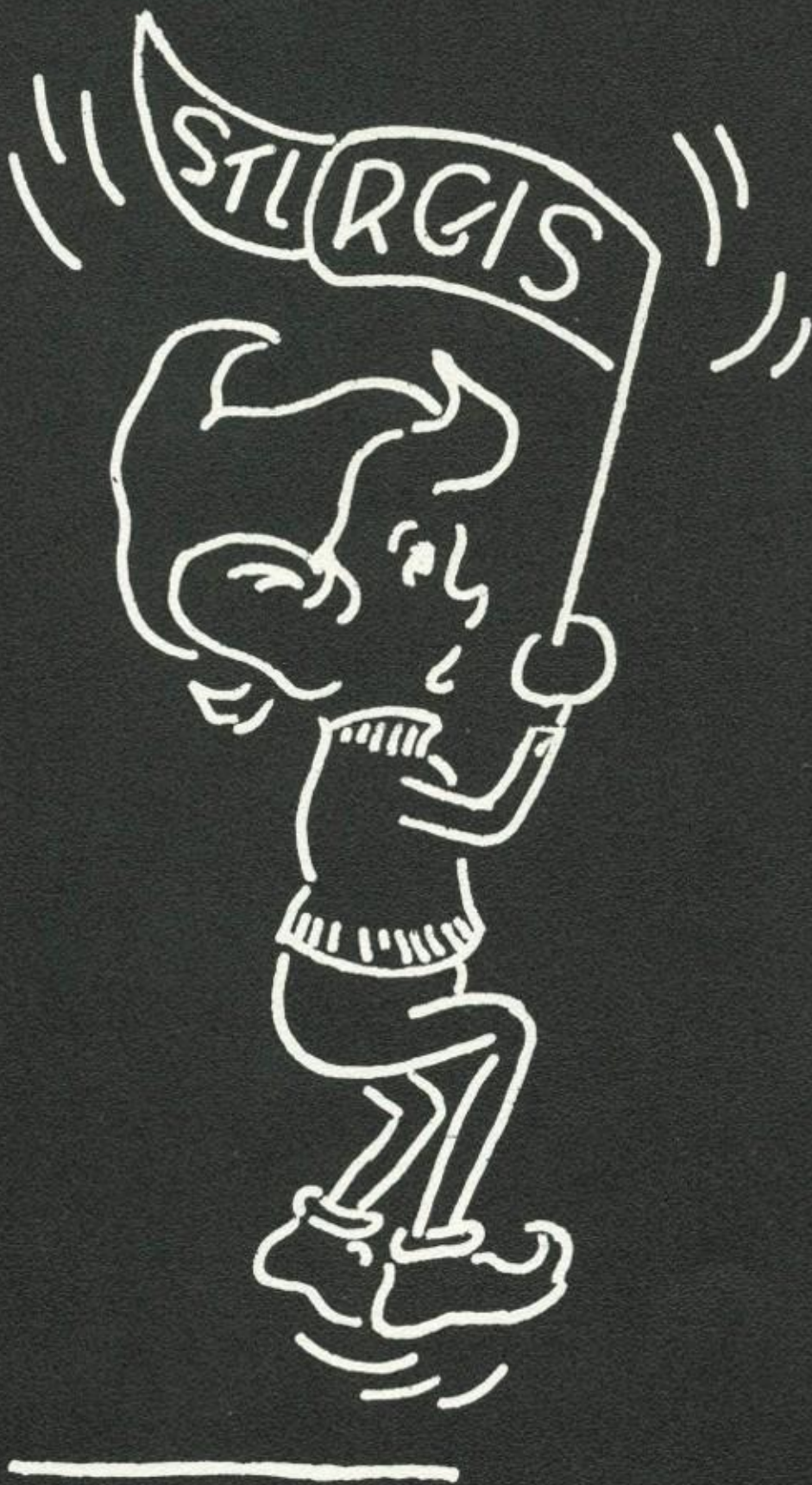
*Best Wishes  
 Patsy  
 Gang  
 meters*

*Best Wishes,  
 Alice Townsend*

*Victor Willsey*



*sports*





# *athletic director*



Richard Maher, who came to Sturgis High School in 1952, has recently been appointed as our new athletic director. Coach Maher received his Bachelor's Degree from Notre Dame. As varsity baseball coach and reserve basketball coach, he strove to impress good sportsmanship and fair play upon his athletes. He has had very impressive records in both seasonal and tournament play. While at Notre Dame, he was catcher on their varsity baseball team.

Under the very capable guidance of Coach Maher, our athletic department will continue its tradition as a very outstanding and efficient part of life in Sturgis High School.



# varsity football

Sturgis	14	Bronson	0
Sturgis	6	Lakeview	14
Sturgis	6	Adrian	6
Sturgis	6	Marshall	21
Sturgis	13	Three Rivers	6
Sturgis	0	East Lansing	33
Sturgis	14	Albion	0
Sturgis	12	Coldwater	21



Coach Pierce, Head Coach; Coach Bates, Assistant Coach  
*"Good Luck"*  
*Coach Pierce*



Jerry Keyser and Tom Hickman—Co-Captains



Jim Young, Alan Howard, and Richard Thomas, Managers





JERRY KEYSER, Quarterback



FLOYD YODER, Quarterback



TOM HICKMAN, Fullback



JERRY DARBY, Fullback



JOHN KASDORF, Fullback



RON JAMERSON, Fullback



RON MAGNUS, Halfback



KARL TOTH, Halfback



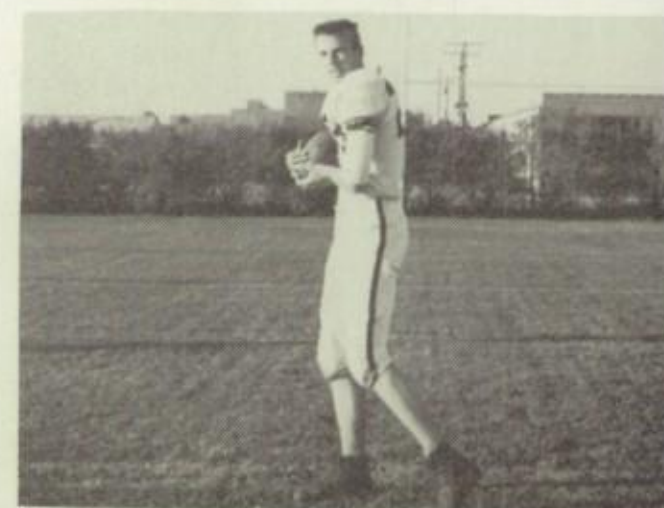
JERRY TODD, Halfback



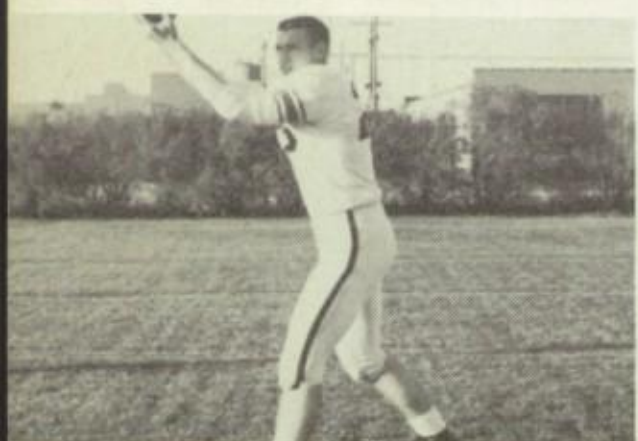
BOB McLAUGHLIN, Halfback



JOHN WENZEL, End



DAVE DARBY, End



MARTY SMITH, End



PAT PORTER, End



JERRY MEYERS, Center





DALE ROPP, Guard



KEN PIERCE, Guard



CLYDE COMINATOR, Guard



CHUCK BARNELL, Guard



WAYNE KIMBLE, Guard



JIM ROYETON, Guard



TOM STAPLETON, Tackle



LARRY GIBSON, Tackle



ED PURDY, Tackle



DICK GRABE, Tackle



STEWART SWIHART, Tackle



RON GALBREATH, Tackle



DENNIS WENZEL, Center



MELVIN DEAL, Tackle



MIKE BRAHAM, Tackle



## reserves

Sturgis	18	Coldwater	6
Sturgis	7	Lakeview	7
Sturgis	6	Three Rivers	19
Sturgis	20	Three Rivers	18
Sturgis	13	University High (State High)	19



1st row, left to right—B. Schlage, J. White, B. Machan, W. Freeland, S. Brumbaugh, J. Blanchard, C. McKerlie, D. Keller, D. Porter. 2nd row—B. Forrest, D. Dillivan, D. Dobberteen, T. McCarthy, R. Agley, B. Blood, Coach Grant. 3rd row—Coach Dillon, D. Lori, B. Bordner, M. Eckert, C. Bunce, D. Haack, L. Reynolds, D. Gerow.

Sturgis	6	Three Rivers	6
Sturgis	19	Coldwater	0
Sturgis	39	Three Rivers	6
Sturgis	33	Bronson	20
Sturgis	40	Coldwater	19
Sturgis	32	Bronson	14

## midgets

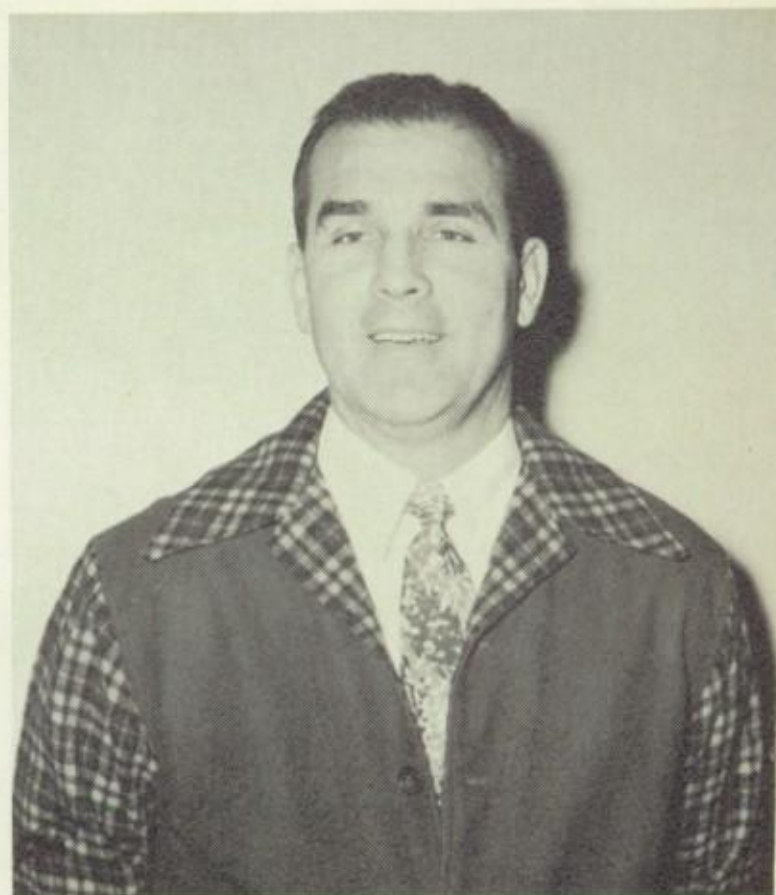


1st row, left to right—R. Quirin, T. Van Meter, D. Tisdell, J. Troyer, S. Royter, C. Anderson, C. Gustafson, M. Allen, T. Crabill, B. Cameron, T. Ridley, D. Ebel. 2nd row—B. Large, B. Fisher, B. Weaver, J. Carpenter, L. Patrick, L. Wilson, B. Frost, J. Bundy, T. Curry, L. Morrison, B. Stultz, J. Falkenstein, B. Donley. 3rd row—Coach Lori, B. Lytle, A. Kelly, D. McCarthy, E. Augerbright, L. Friesner, D. Grabe, K. Krause, T. Smusz, R. Kreps, M. Darby, D. Kelley, D. Grabe, T. Lindman, Coach Finlay. 4th row—P. Kitson, F. Hayden, B. Krontz, B. Mundy, D. Falkenstein, M. Boyle, D. Jones.

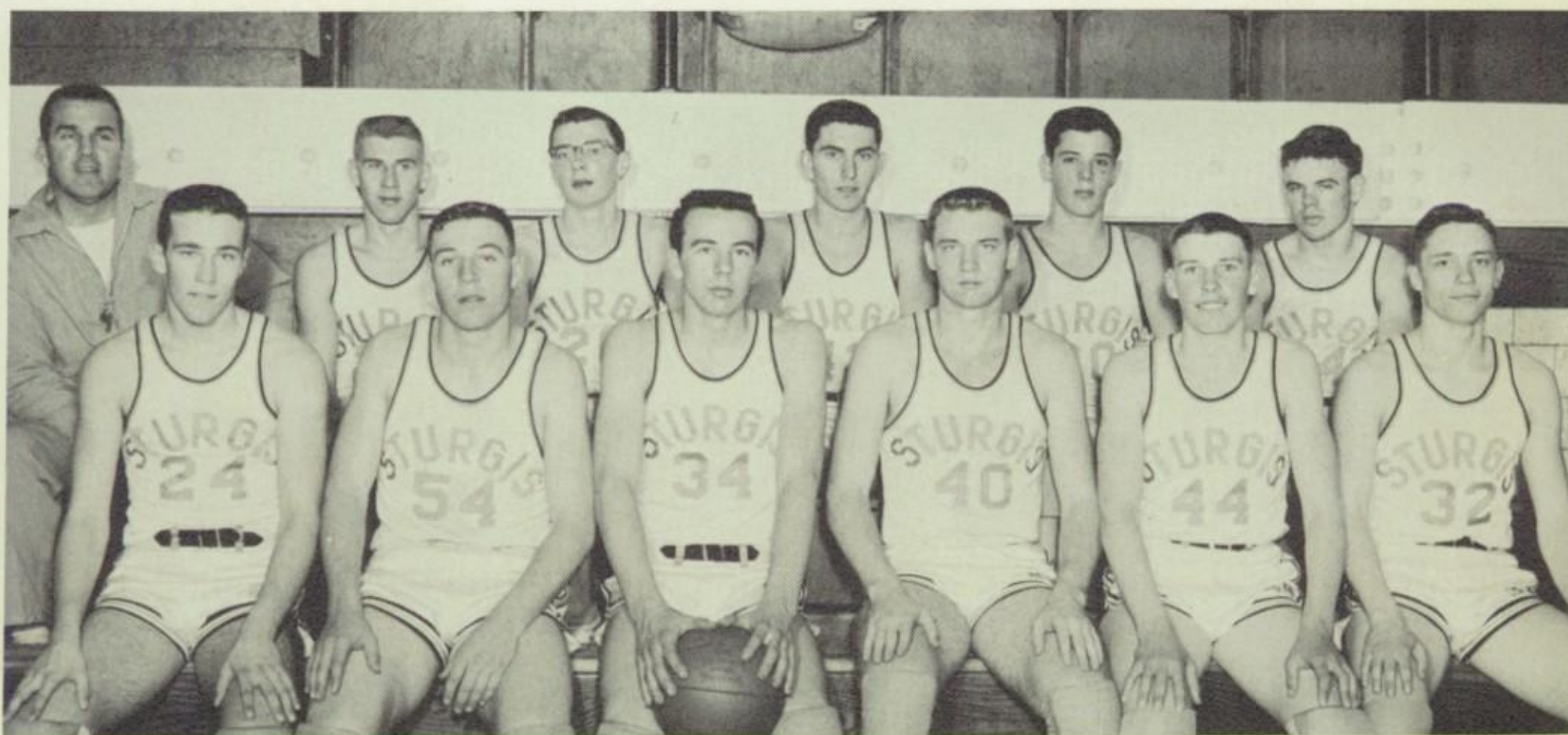


# varsity basketball

Sturgis	41	Bronson	31
Sturgis	37	East Lansing	59
Sturgis	69	Albion	64
Sturgis	56	Adrian	65
Sturgis	48	B. C. Lakeview	35
Sturgis	40	Coldwater	43
Sturgis	48	Three Rivers	55
Sturgis	63	Marshall	59
Sturgis	33	East Lansing	65
Sturgis	41	Albion	39
Sturgis	66	Bronson	67
Sturgis	46	Adrian	56
Sturgis	55	B. C. Lakeview	56
Sturgis	44	Coldwater	50
Sturgis	47	Three Rivers	58
Sturgis	63	Marshall	46
District			
Sturgis	57	Hillsdale	47
Sturgis	58	B. C. Lakeview	49
Regional			
Sturgis	34	East Lansing	52

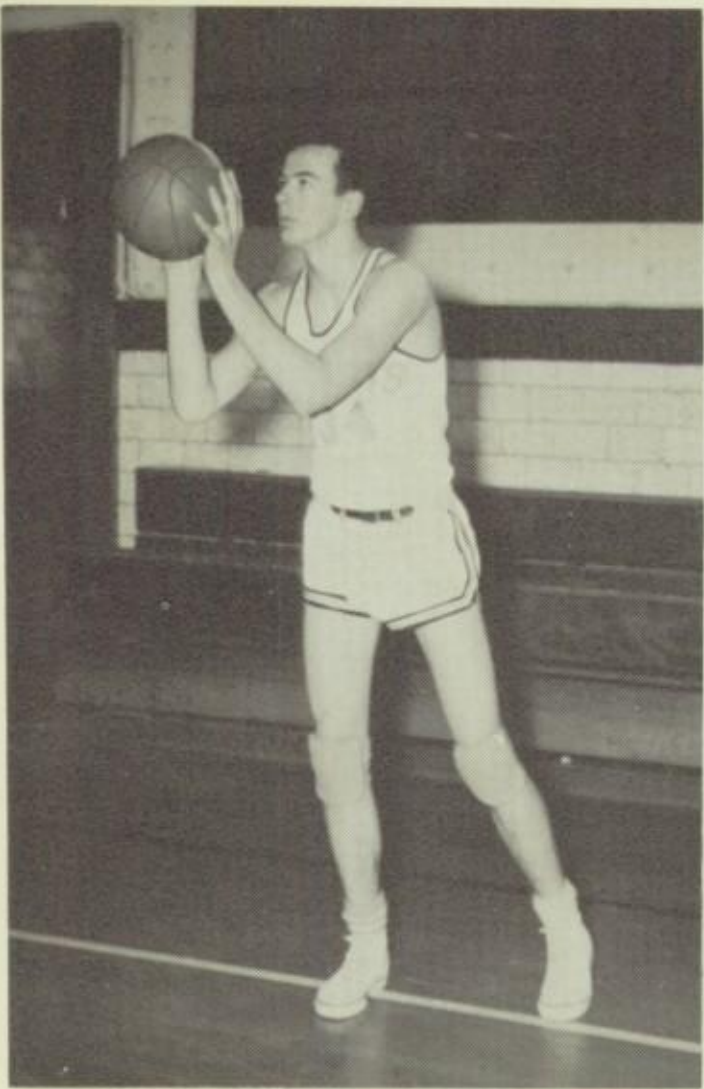


COACH DILLON



1st row, left to right: Pat Porter, John Wenzel, Dave Darby, Marty Smith, Denny Wenzel, Floyd Yoder. 2nd row, Coach Dillon, Jerry Todd, Max Sayles, Ron Magnus, Mike Echert, Jerry Keyser.

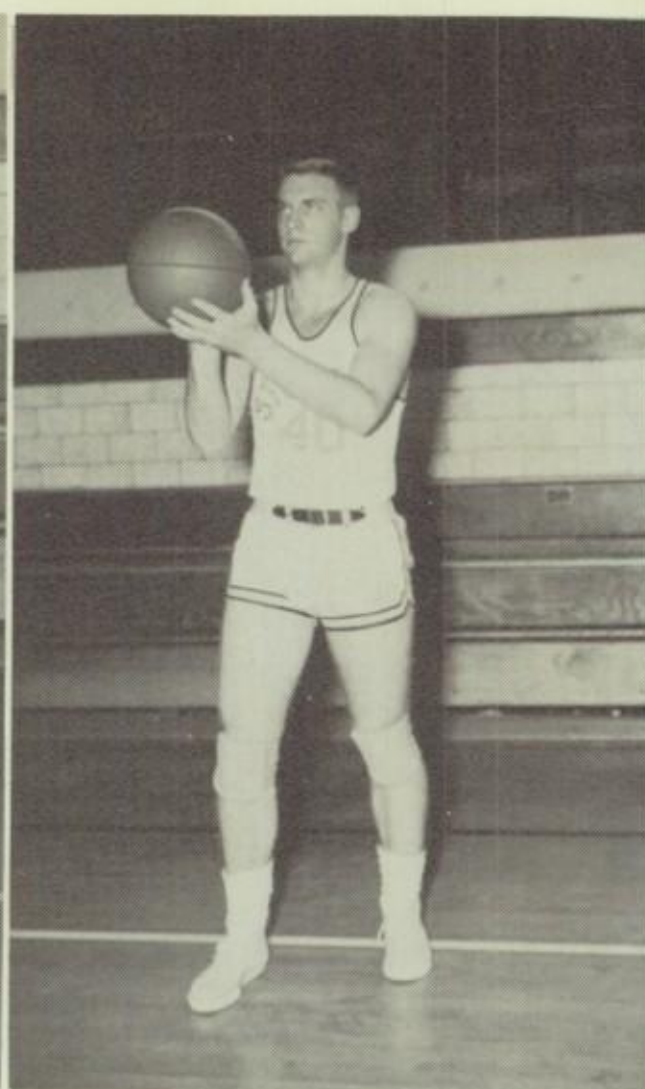




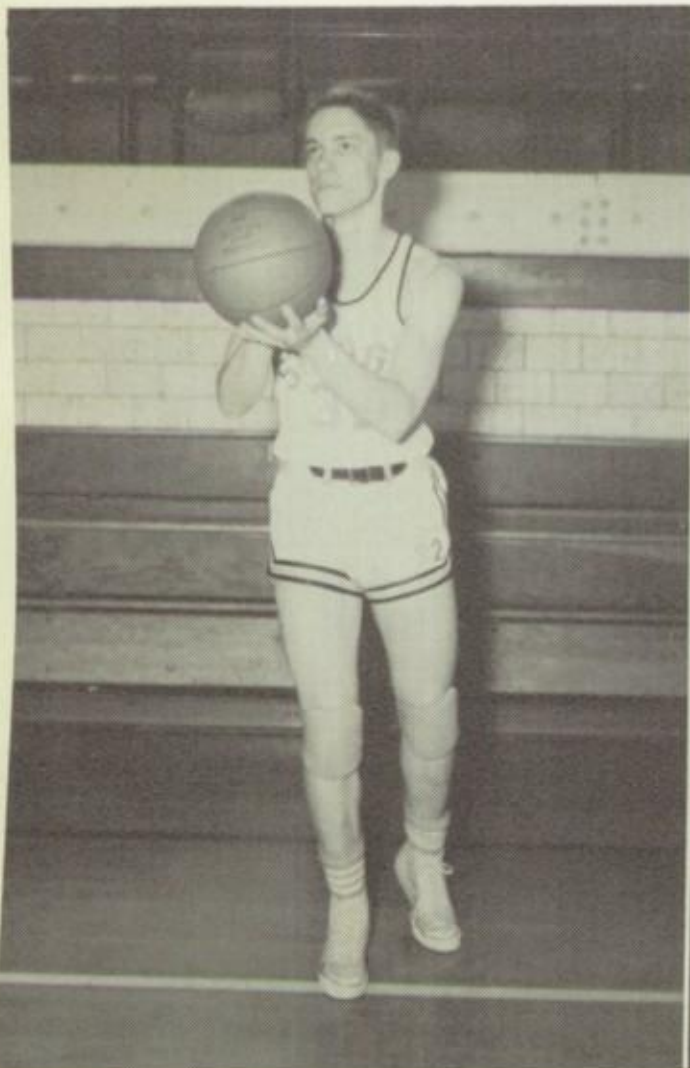
DAVE DARBY  
Center



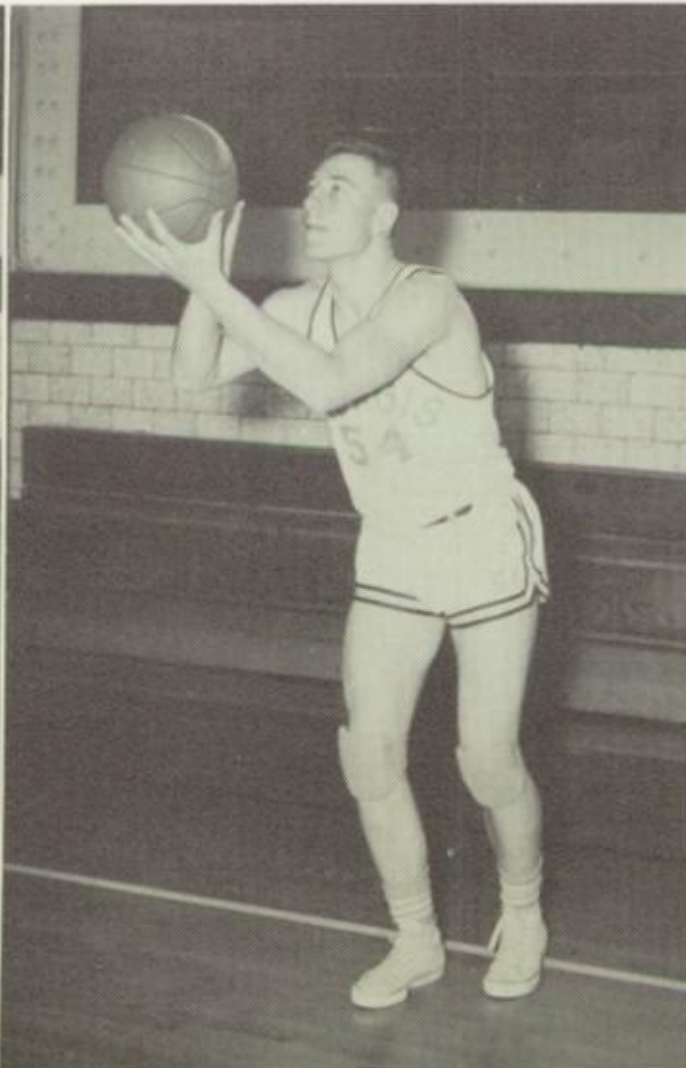
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Guard



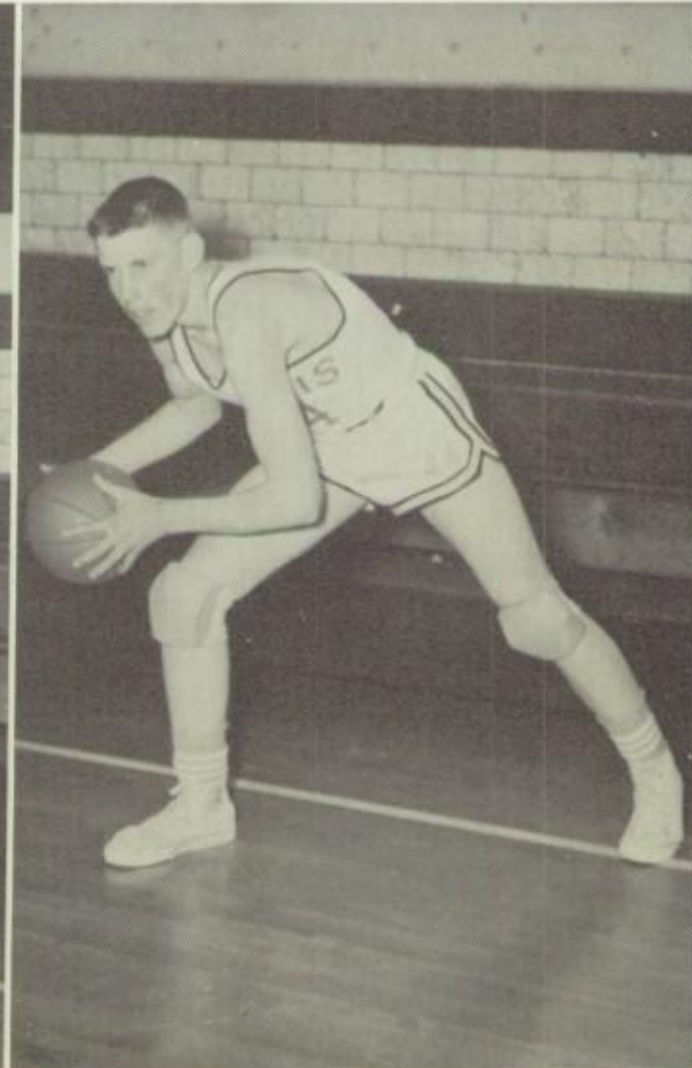
MARTY SMITH  
Forward



FLOYD YODER  
Forward



JOHN WENZEL  
Forward



DENNIS WENZEL  
Guard

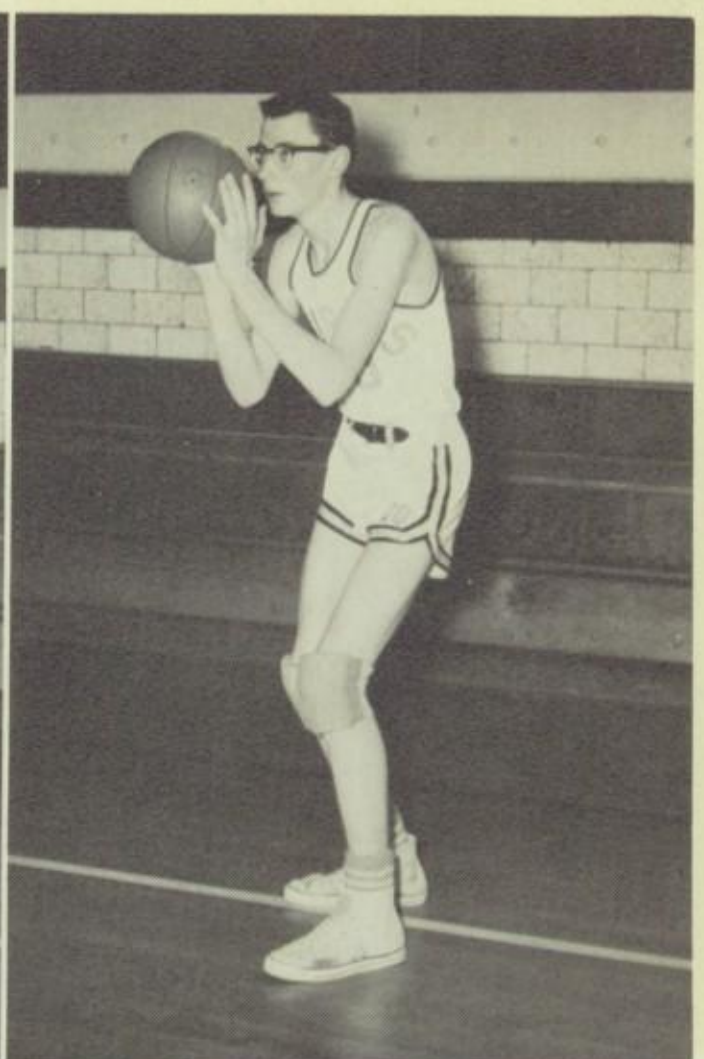




JERRY TODD  
Guard



PAT PORTER  
Center



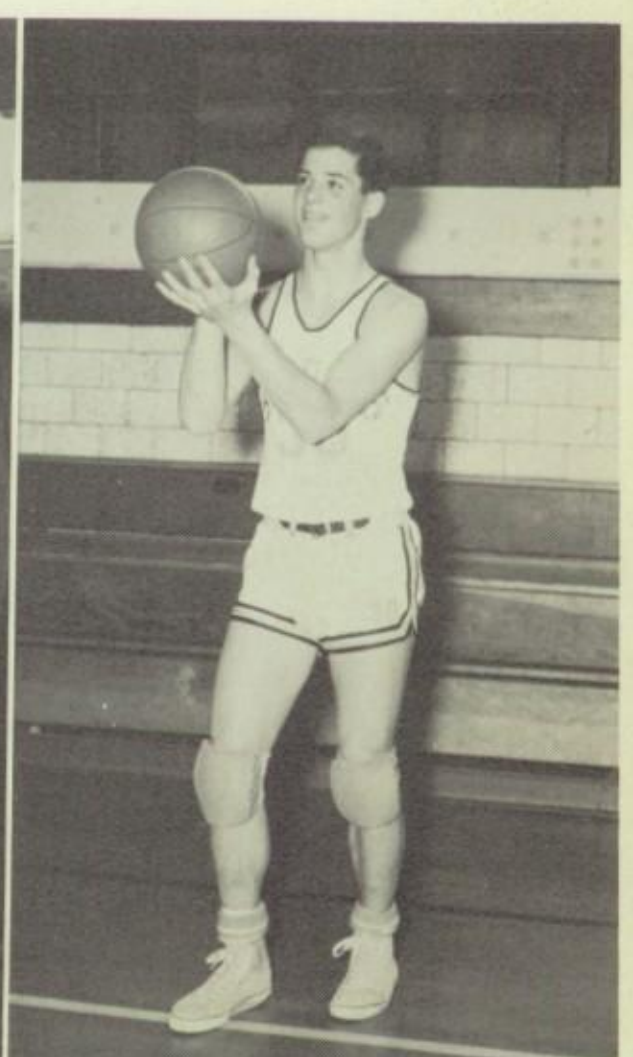
MAX SAYLES  
Guard



RON MAGNUS  
Forward



John White and Paul Irehearne, Man-  
agers



MIKE ECKERT  
Forward





## reserve basketball

1st row, left to right: Dave Porter, Leon Reynolds, Dan Gerow, Chuck Bunce, Dave DeHaven, Terry McCarthy, Larry Kraft, Joe Riska, Manager. 2nd row, Ted Lindman, Ron Horning, Ken Krause, Den McCarthy, Mike Darby, Ron Kreps, Ed Purdy, Coach Pierce.

Sturgis 31  
Sturgis 32  
Sturgis 69  
Sturgis 25  
Sturgis 30  
Sturgis 36  
Sturgis 30  
Sturgis 25  
Sturgis 26  
Sturgis 25  
Sturgis 52  
Sturgis 23  
Sturgis 32  
Sturgis 40  
Sturgis 31  
Sturgis 34

Bronson  
East Lansing  
Albion  
Adrian  
Lakeview  
Coldwater  
Three Rivers  
Marshall  
East Lansing  
Albion  
Bronson  
Adrian  
Lakeview  
Coldwater  
Three Rivers  
Marshall

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44  
64  
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39  
30

Sturgis 23  
Sturgis 31  
Sturgis 29  
Sturgis 34  
Sturgis 24  
Sturgis 31  
Sturgis 32  
Sturgis 41  
Sturgis 24

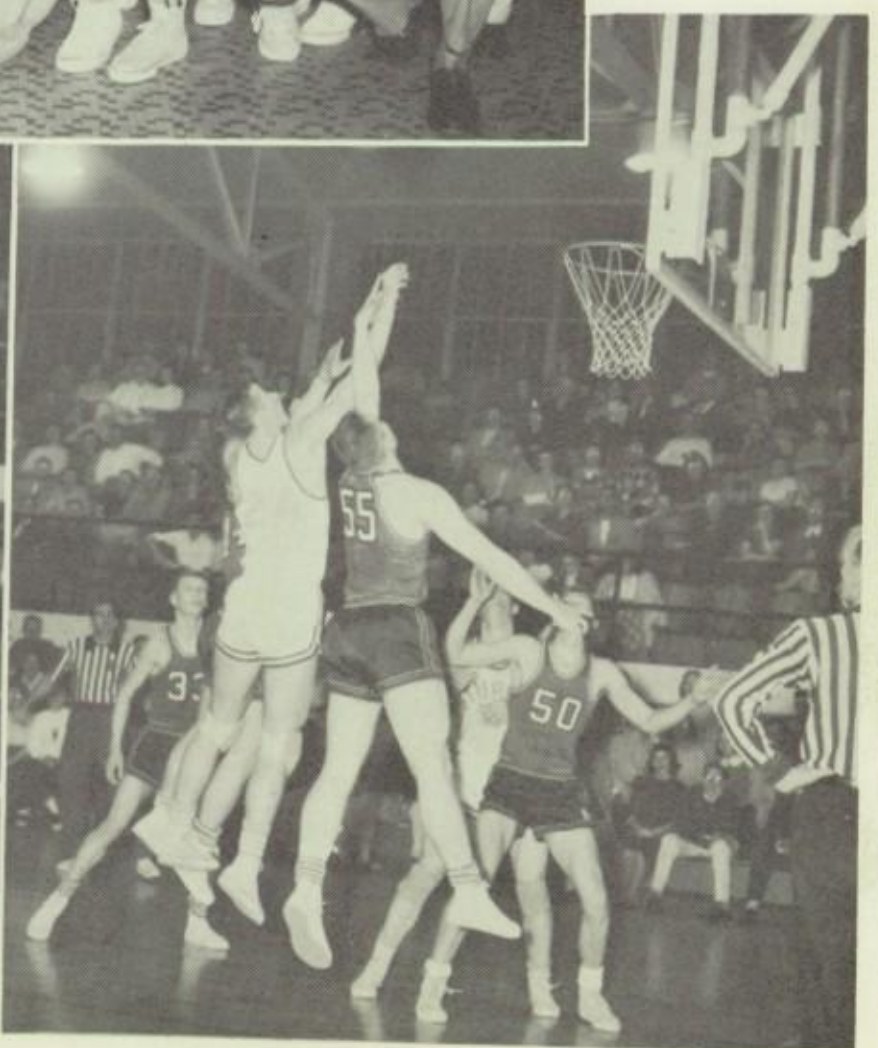
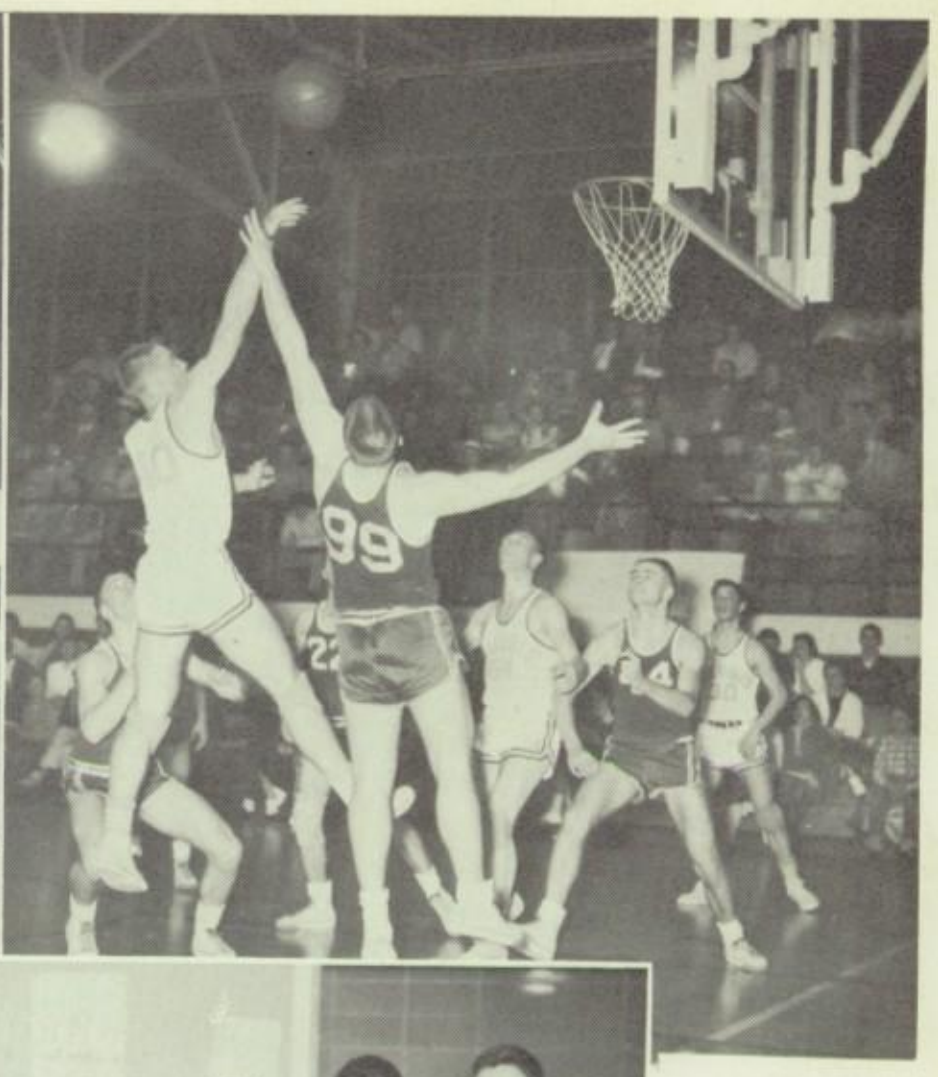
Centreville 29  
Centreville 34  
Three Rivers 31  
Coldwater 37  
Elkhart North Side 68  
Three Rivers 29  
Coldwater 37  
LaGrange 52  
Elkhart Roosevelt 72

## freshmen basketball



1st row, left to right: Coach Bates, Mike Boyle, Al Kelley, Bob Lytle, Rudy Quirin, Dave Grabe, Jerry Bundy. 2nd row, Phil Kitson, Harvey Janotta, Lynn Friesner, Earl Augerbright, Doug Grabe, Larry Wilson, Tom Smusz.

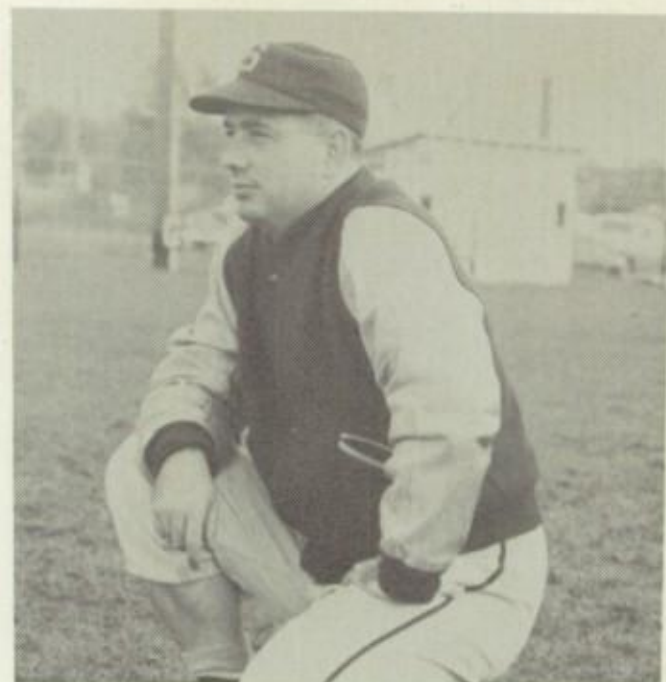






# varsity baseball

Sturgis 7	Three Rivers 4
Sturgis 2	Marshall 3
Sturgis 1	Coldwater 2
Sturgis 5	Three Rivers 2
Sturgis 7	Coldwater 5
Sturgis 5	Lakeview 4
Sturgis 2	Adrian 1
Sturgis 24	Howe 4
Sturgis 1	East Lansing 0
Sturgis 1	Ecorse 2
Sturgis 5	Albion 8



Coach Maher



1st Row—left to right—John Wenzel, Cliff Bee, Marty Smith, Larry Kraft, Ken Strang, Jerry Todd, Tom Hickman. 2nd Row—Terry Poffenberger, Dick Grabe, Max Sayles, Rich Thomas, John Kasdorf, Phil Perry, Bill Willer, Jim Hanko, Bill Haack, Coach Maher. 3rd Row—Denny Wenzel, Wayne Shook, Jim Howell, Floyd Yoder, John Brunson, Rich Reid.



# *varsity baseball*



JIM HANKO, Pitcher  
KEN STRANG, Catcher



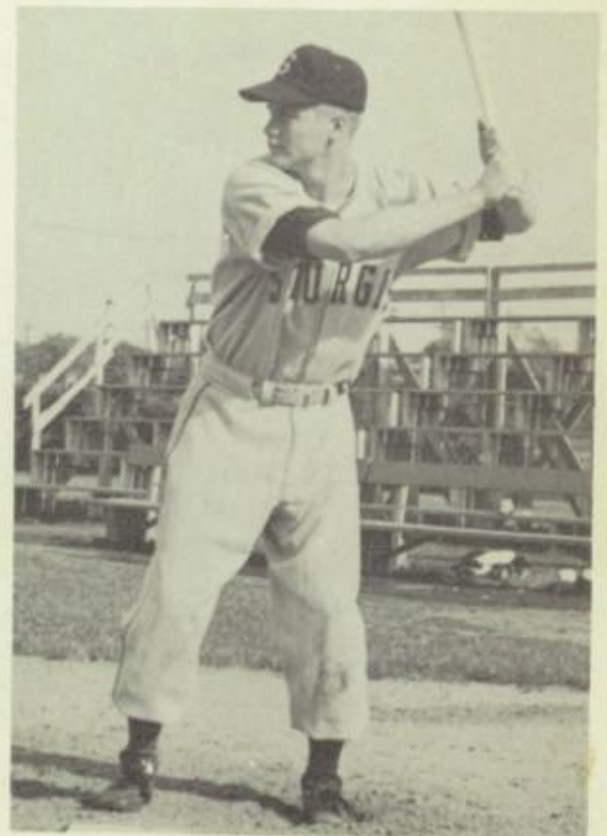
MARTY SMITH, 1st Base



TOM HICKMAN, 3rd Base



JERRY TODD, 2nd Base



PHIL PERRY, Outfield





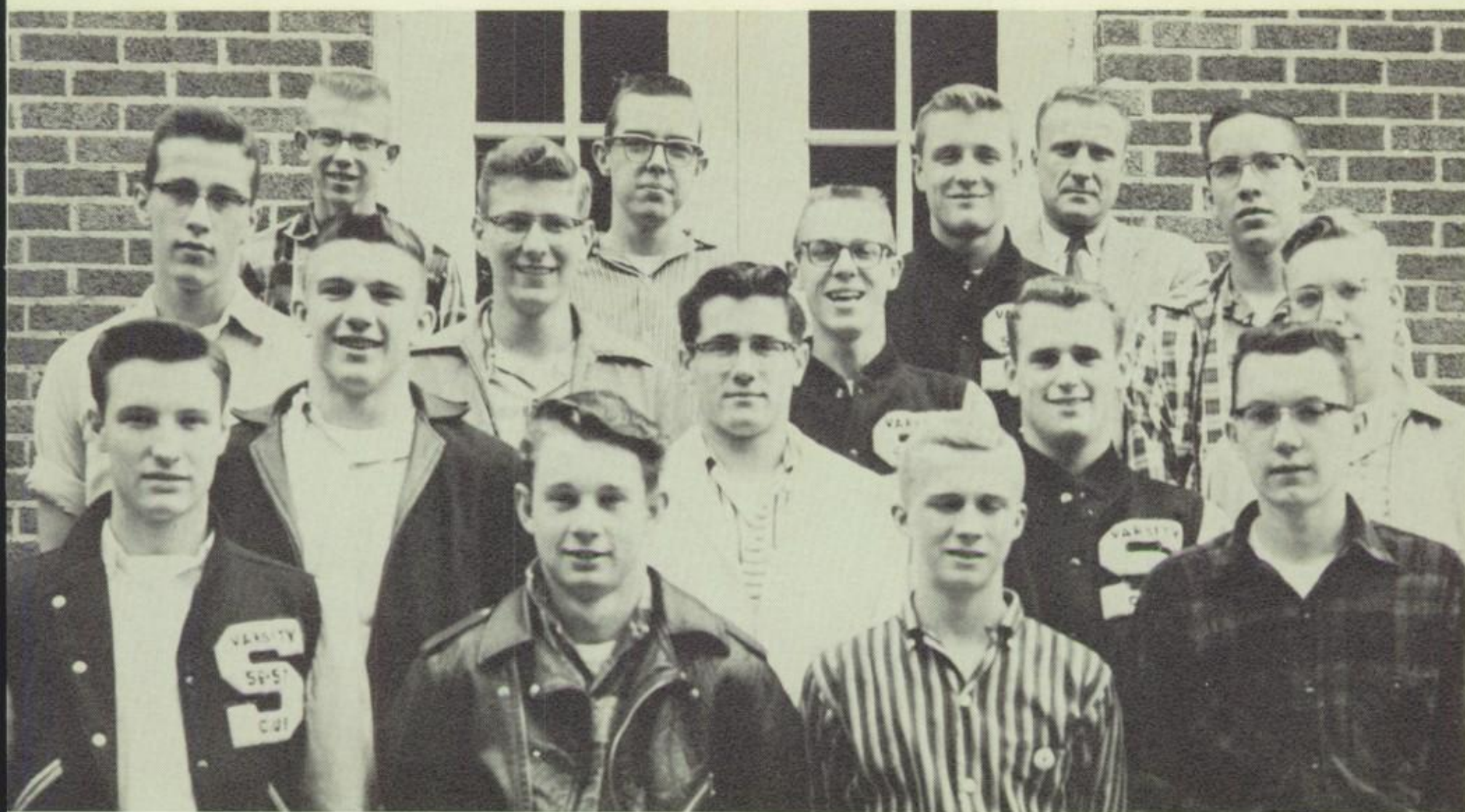
First row: Bill Machan, Terry McCarthy, Gene Swihart, Terry Arklie, Dave Porter, John Keagle.  
 Second row: Chuck Bunce, Roger Milliman, Jim Mollsen, Mike Eckert, Dave Lord, Jerry Pinney,  
 Dan Gerow, Coach Murphy.

## *reserve baseball*

Sturgis	10	Colon Reserves	0
Sturgis	1	Burr Oak Varsity	4
Sturgis	15	Colon Reserves	14
Sturgis	2	Coldwater Reserves	12
Sturgis	9	Coldwater Reserves	0
Sturgis	0	Burr Oak Varsity	12
Sturgis	11	Colon Reserves	4







First row: Bob McLauchlin, Steve Stroup, Bob Blood, John Packer. Second row: Dick Bunce, Karl Toth, George Siggins, Jerry Pinney. Third row: Pat Porter, Dave Mieras, Francis Horning, Mike Braham. Fourth row: Ron Horning, Jim Parker, Al Crossman, Coach Lori.

## *track*

### TRIANGULAR MEETS

Sturgis 19; Three Rivers 33; Niles 85  
 Sturgis 38; Bronson 17½; Coldwater 81½  
 Sturgis 26½; Marshall 48½; Albion 62  
 Sturgis 57; Howe School 28; Lakeville 52  
 Sturgis 33.3; Three River 29.9; Lakeview 73.8

Twin Valley Meet—Seventh

Regional Track Meet—2

Karl Toth broke the school broad jump record at the Regionals—20'7"





# *golf*



1st row—Ben Crabill, Bob Prough, Charles Pierson  
2nd row—Terry Taylor, Frank Wagner, Coach Dillon

Sturgis 207	Three Rivers 213
Sturgis 388	Coldwater 355
Sturgis 316	Three Rivers 308

# *tennis*



1st row—Jerry Meyers, Steve Brumbaugh, Ben Krage  
2nd row—Bill Falkenstein, Alan Howard, Jim Miller, Sam Welty, Jeff Millett, Randy Agley  
3rd row—Stewart Swihart, Coach Dillon, Ron Magnus

Sturgis 3	Lakeview
Sturgis 2	Lakeview
Sturgis 3	Howe



# wrestling



Captains and Coaches: Coach Grant, Dale Ropp, Tom Hickman, Coach Finlay.

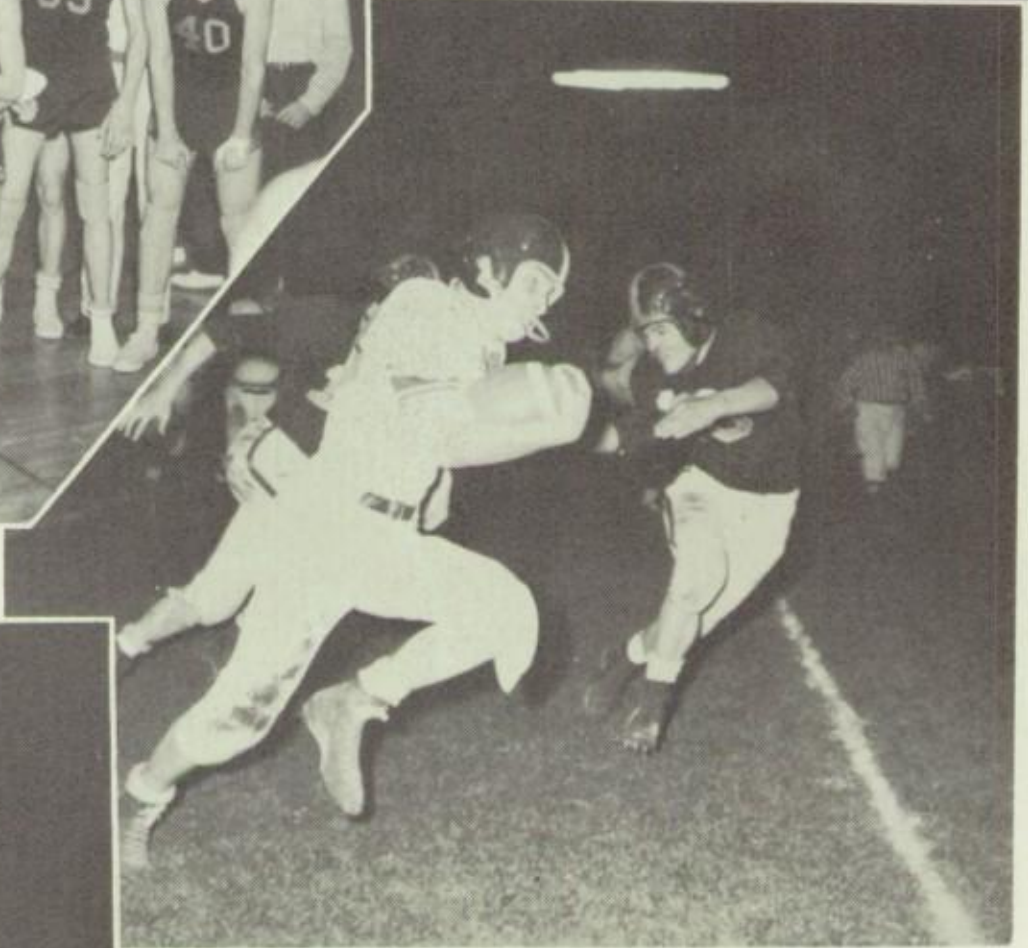
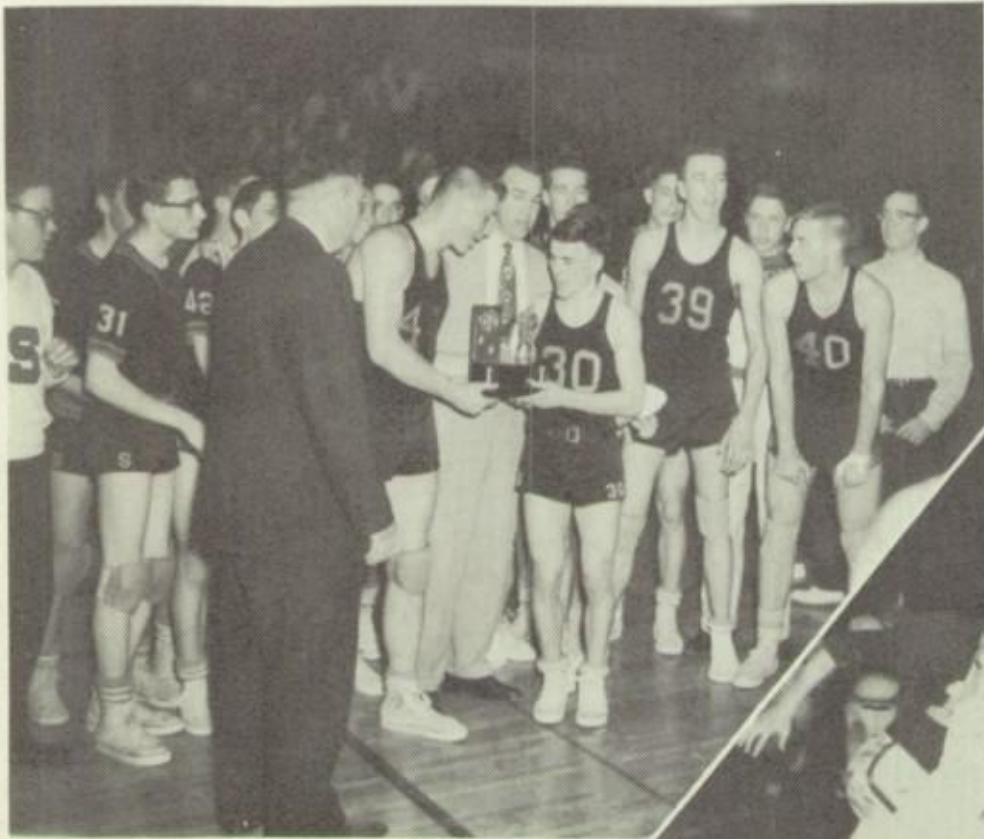
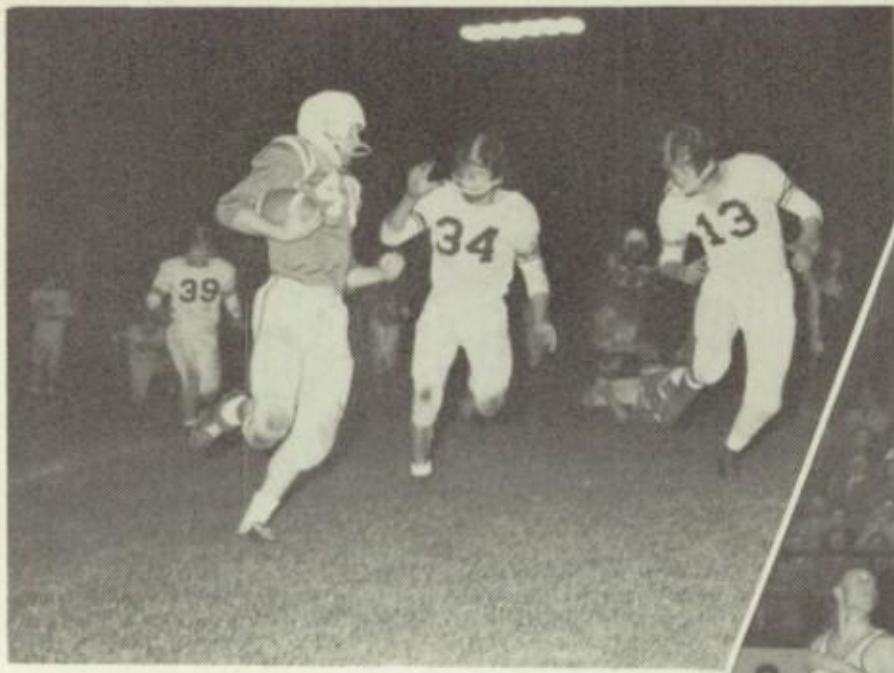
Sturgis	8
Sturgis	37
Sturgis	32
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Sturgis	32
Sturgis	28
Sturgis	14
Sturgis	21
Sturgis	12
Sturgis	20
Sturgis	8

Kalamazoo Central	44
Coldwater	15
Howe Military	14
Battle Creek	23
Niles	50
Howe Military	14
Coldwater	14
Adrian	32
Allegan	27
Niles	34
Dowagiac	31
Kalamazoo Central	42



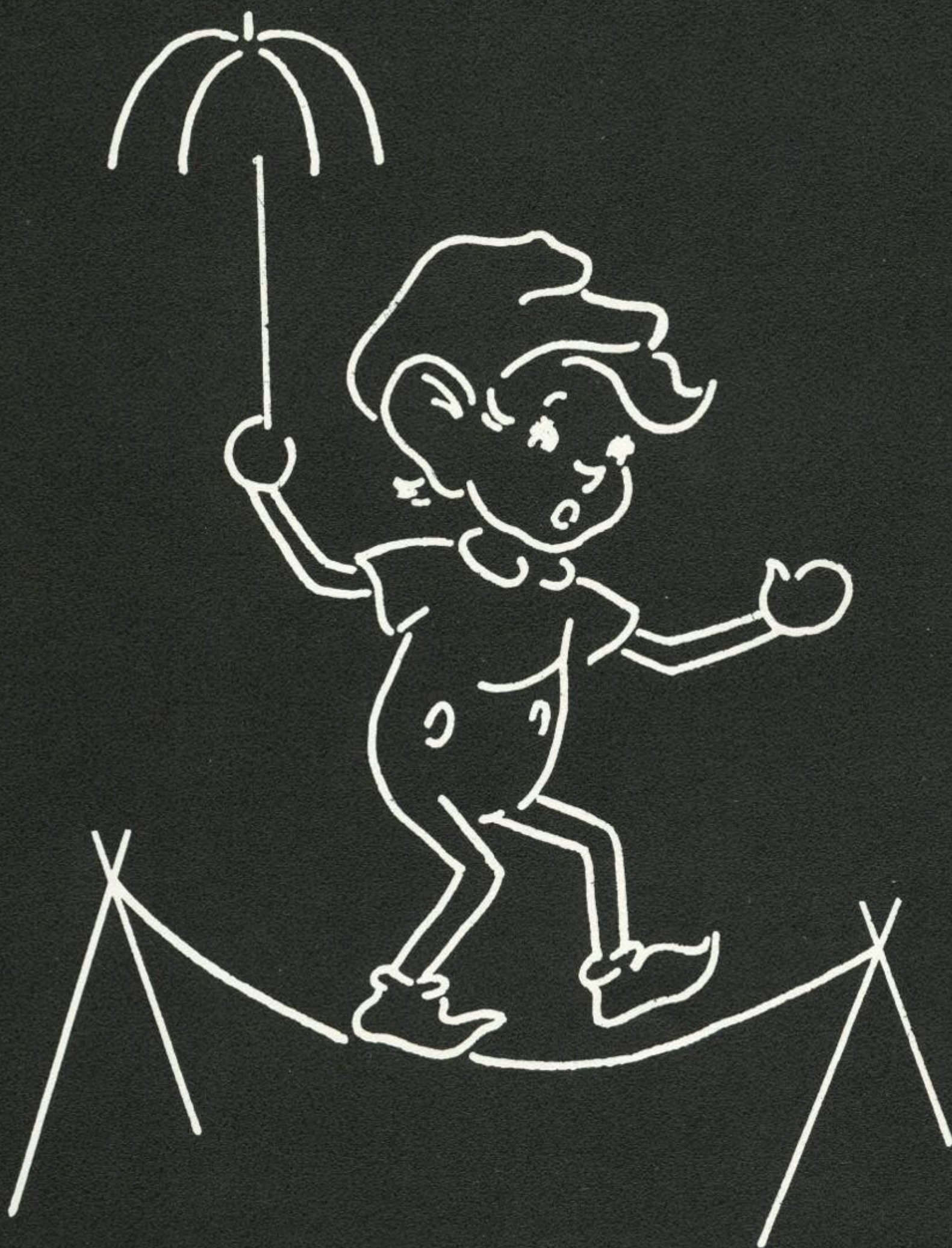
1st—Dennis Ebel, Steve Reuter, Roxie Hoover, Don Tisdell, Terry Teal, Bob Prough, Terry Ridley, Chris Gustafson, Chuck Anderson.  
 2nd—Coach Grant, Ed Cleveland, Leland Quinn, Alan Howard, John Kasdorf, Dale Ropp, Tom Hickman, Ken Pierce, Charles Barnell, Don Keller, Bob Blood Coach Finlay.  
 3rd—Terry Clouse, Brian Weaver, Paul Lepart, Jerry Luedders, Randy Agley, John Brunson, Steve Yunker, Jeff Millett, Don Nordahl, Dave Jones, Bill Machan, Dave Kelley, Bruce Hayden, Bob Large, Floyd Hayden. Absent—Dennis Barker.







# *activities*







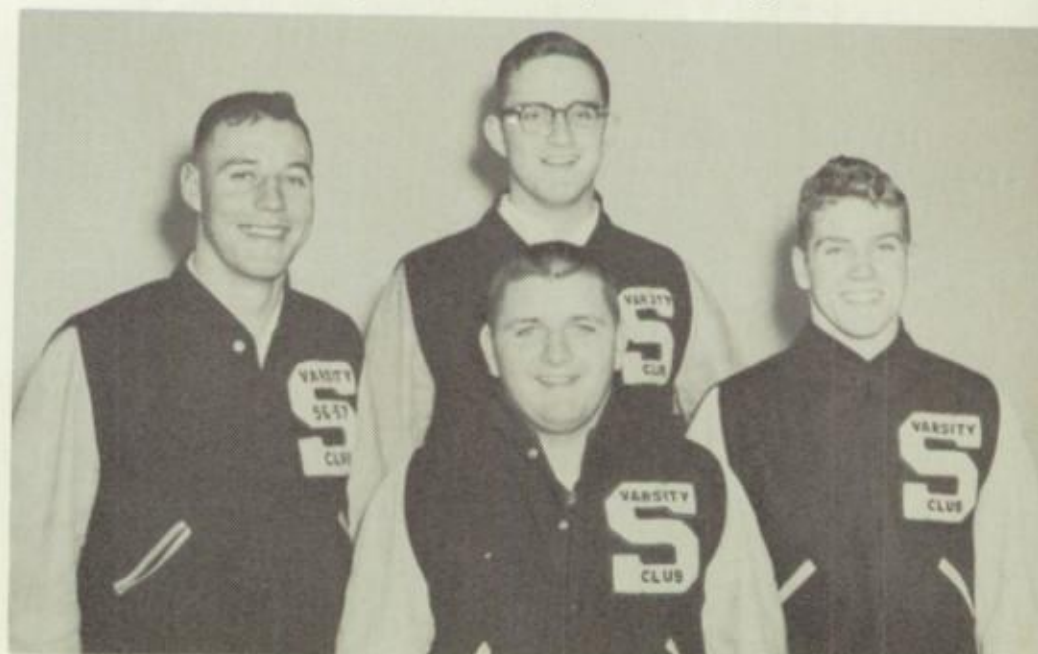
First row: Tom Hickman, Bob McLaughlin, John Kasdorf, Bob Prough, Jerry Keyser, Karl Toth, Ed Cleveland. Second row: Bob Blood, Ron Magnus, Wayne Kimble, Dale Ropp, Pat Porter, Rich Thomas, Ken Pierce, Dave Zimmerman, Larry Kraft. Third row: Larry Gibson, Leland Quinn, Marty Smith, Floyd Yoder, Stewart Swihart, Jerry Meyers. Fourth row: Dick Grabe, Jerry Todd, John Wenzel, Ed Purdy, Bill Falkenstein, Jerry Darby, Denny Wenzel. Fifth row: Melvin Deal, Tom Stapleton.

## *varsity club*

The Varsity Club had many projects this year. With the money earned last year, they bought a movie camera and a projector for filming sports events. The club started its activities this year with the sale of ads for the football programs. The football raffle wound up the fall season, and then they sold ads for basketball programs. White basketball uniforms and gold warm-up jackets were purchased along with award ribbons for wrestling matches. At each home basketball game, two boys showed the reserved seat patrons to their seats. The members took in a hockey game during the winter and then climaxed the year with a trip to Chicago.



Coach Pierce, Advisor



### OFFICERS:

John Wenzel—Sergeant-at-Arms  
Tom Stapleton—Secretary-Treasurer  
Tom Hickman—President  
Dale Ropp—Vice-President



# cheerleaders

We give a hearty salute to the 1957-58 cheerleading squads who have done a tremendous job in keeping the student body full of pep throughout the year. At the beginning of the school year they sponsored a dance, "The Football Frolic" which was a big success. The cheerleaders sold pompoms at a few football games, and at the Homecoming game they sold mums. This was done to raise money for their new uniforms which arrived in the middle of the year. Varsity's new uniforms are sweaters with a different emblem, new collars, their own name on the back of their sweater, orange tights, and black skirts. The reserve squad may be distinguished from the varsity in that they have last year's sweaters and skirts, orange tights, and their name on the back of their sweaters.

The squads are as follows: Varsity: Judy Van Meter, captain; Mary Finlay, Judy Mustone, Carole Theisman. Reserves: Kendra Johnson, captain; Sheila Keyser, Luann Littlefield, and Adgate Gay. Karen George, who was the alternate, was moved to Adgate's place in the middle of the year when Adgate moved to a different school. Mrs. Nancy Grant was the girls' very capable advisor.



Sheila Keyser—Secretary-Treasurer

Mrs. Grant

Kendra Johnson

Judy Van Meter



1957-58 cheerleading squads



Karen George

Kendra Johnson

Luann Littlefield

Adgate Gay

Sheila Keyser



Judy Van Meter

Mary Finlay

Carole Theisman

Judy Mustone





## *seniors*

*G. A. A.*

Another successful year of GAA has been completed with the help of the new sponsor, Mrs. Grant.

The officers who led this year's activities were President Doris Harker; Vice President and Social Chairman, Jane Blackburn; Secretary and Treasurer, Sherrill Kershner; Point Recorders, Martha Young and Marilyn Hovda; Sports Managers, Bonnie Parr and Vicki Guilford.

Initiation started this year off, followed by the annual dance on November seventh. Throughout the year, GAA sponsored the sock-hop in February, the Sweetheart Swing in March, and the Penny Carnival in April. The annual banquet was held, awards were given, and the list of the new officers for the following year was announced.



## *juniors*





*sophomores*



Mrs. Grant



The 1957-58 officers



*freshmen*





First row: Doris Mettler, Linda Wolf, Second row: Linda Lane, Anna Vroman, June Hawkins, Priscilla Cashower, Judy Long, Pat Jordon, Diane Bixler, Abbs, Carol De Vries, Paula Pierson, Linda Adams, Rosa Bontrager, Rusty Rolston

## f.h.a.



First row: Carolyn Teeters, Mrs. Scheetz, Judy Abbs, Joan Frohriep  
Second row: Andrea Van Zile, Louise Smith, Phyllis Sadewasser

The Sturgis Chapter of F.H.A. began the year's program with the formal and informal initiations. The Christmas holiday was celebrated by a party and cookie baking for Fairview Hospital. This year the girls initiated and installed the members of the new F.H.A. Chapter of Burr Oak. They also attended and presented a skit at a regional meeting. Other projects were a rummage sale, the sponsorship of a dance, babysitting, and the installation of the 1958-59 officers.

The 1957-58 officers are: President, Andrea Van Zile; Vice-President, Louise Smith; Secretary and Reporter, Jean Frohriep; Treasurer and Point Recorder, Judith Abbs; Historian, Carolyn Teeters; Parliamentarian, Sandra Boger; Recreation Leader, Carol Young; Songleader, Phyllis Sadewasser; Pianist, Mary Brubaker.

The supervisor of F.H.A. is Mrs. Alice Scheetz.



First row: Louise Smith, Joan Frohriep, Second row: Virginia Lough, Eileen Tibbott, Barbette Firth, Marjorie Oxender, Jean Keagle, Andrea Van Zile, Carolyn Teeters, Alice West, Bonny Swihart, Kay Andrews, Phyllis Sadewasser, Judy Clark, Carol Conrad, Sharon Schutz



f.t.a.



"FTA is on the air."



Mrs. Britton

Mr. Galberach

Under the leadership of Mrs. Mildred Britton and Mr. William Galberach, the 1957-58 Future Teachers of America started the year's activities off with an informal initiation.

Consisting of 31 members, of which 21 are new this year, the club met twice a month. The year's activities included a Christmas party at Mrs. Britton's, joint meetings with the Teachers' Club and FTA's from neighboring towns, movies on education, and several teachers as guest speakers. Most of the members have the national FTA pins. At the end of the 1956-57 year the members chose Martha Young, President; Judy Morrisson, Vice-President; JoAnn Gerardo, Secretary; Rosemary Young, Treasurer; Carole Marks, Librarian; Jane Blackburn, Program Chairman; and Marcia Lehmer, Music Chairman.



Seated: JoAnn Gerardo, Secretary; Martha Young, President; Carole Marks, Librarian.

Standing: Marcia Lehmer, Music Chairman; Jane Blackburn, Program Chairman.

Absent: Judy Morrison, Rosemary Young.



First row: Myrtle Rivers, Marilyn Tisdell, Karen Casey, Mary Ann Goethals, Mary Woods, Jane Blackburn, Linda Thomas, Ellen Smith.

Second row: JoAnn Gerardo, Marcia Lehmer, Janet Holshuh, Janet Falkenstein, Mrs. Britton, Bonnie Cross, Martha Young, Carole Marks, Jane Wiedlea.

Third row: Tom Hickman, Paul Strait, Mr. Galberach, Ed Purdy, Paul Trehearne





First row: Linda Wver, Jeannine Baylor, Marjorie Sponsel, Janet Horrom  
 Second row: Dick Nordahl, Don Nordahl, Dennis McCarthy, James Kerchner

## *youth center*

For the past eight years, the Youth Center has been a place of recreation of SHS students. The students feel very fortunate in having such a modern Youth Center.

This year the Center was open on Tuesday nights from seven until ten, for Sr. high students and Friday nights from eight until eleven. On Saturday nights from seven until ten, the Jr. high students took over. This year's Christmas formal, "Silver Fantasy," was a big success, with Bobby Wear's Orchestra furnishing the music.

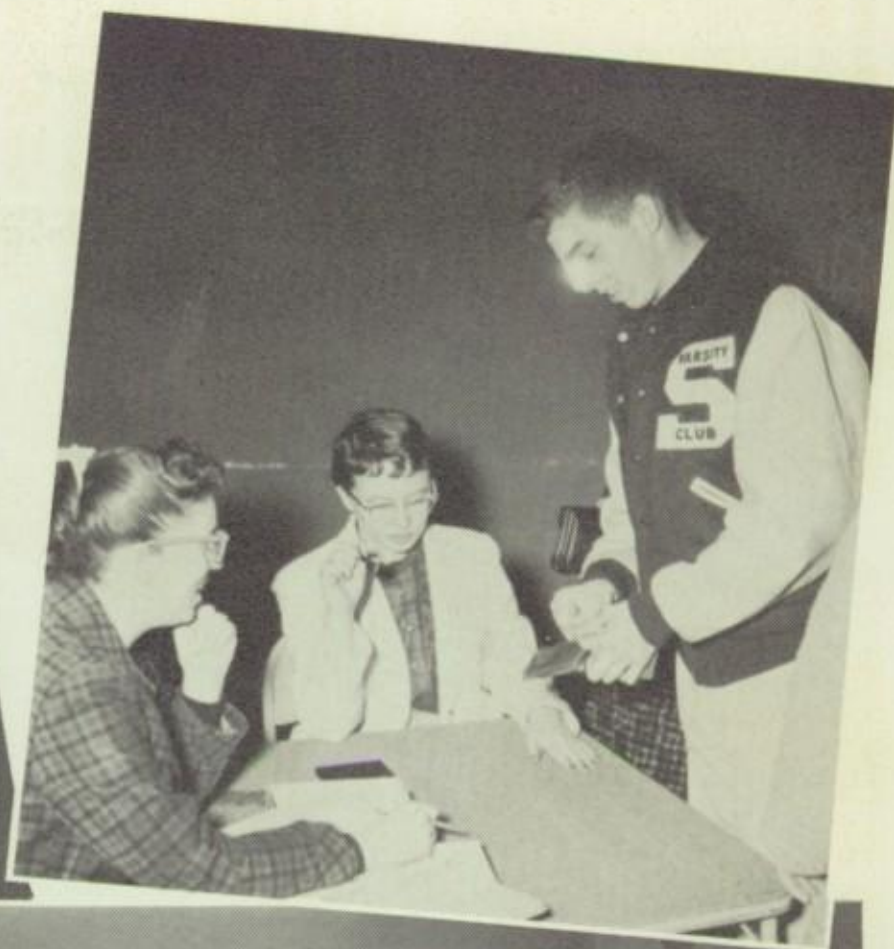
The Youth Center officers for this year were President, Jeannine Baylor; Vice-President, Gordon Adams; and Treasurer, Janet Horrom.

Ably supervising the Center is Mr. O. Kribs, assisted by Mrs. Kribs, Mrs. V. Soules, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Casault, Cathryn Kribs, and Mrs. Madaline Packer.



Mr. Casault







# *library club*



Officers: Mary Condon, Social Chairman; Janet Holshuh, Secretary-Treasurer; Myrtle Rivers, Vice President; Audrey Smith, President.



Mrs. Polleys, Advisor;

The Library Club, under the capable leadership of Mrs. Polleys, was composed of 16 members this year. Early in the year they elected Audrey Smith, President; Myrtle Rivers, Vice-President; and Mary Condon acting as Secretary-Treasurer. Each member works in the library five hours a week for which they receive a half credit. Their duties include checking out books, keeping the card file up to date, taking care of the magazines, keeping the shelves clean, and helping the students find reference material. For the hard work the members have done, they are rewarded by the social activities in which they participate. Among these activities enjoyed by all was a Halloween party, a Christmas party, and a skating party.

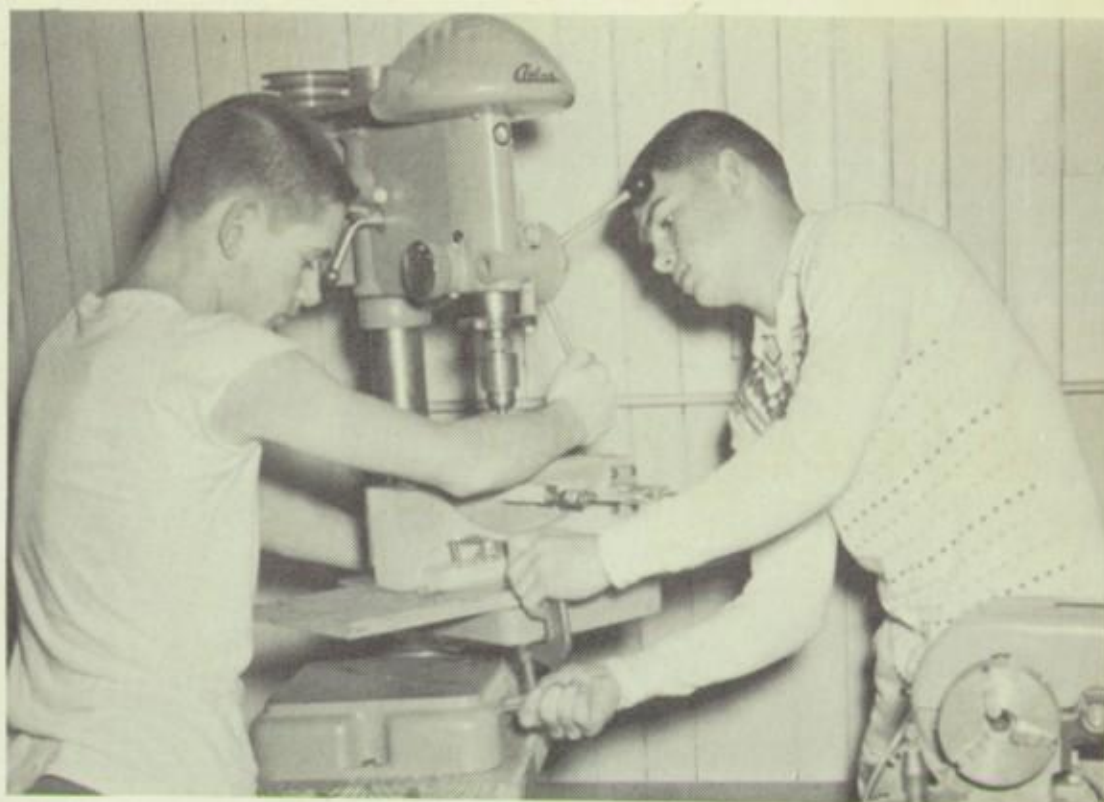


Sitting: Janice Teadt, Carol De Vries, Janet Holshuh, Myrtle Rivers, Audrey Smith, Sharon Knight, Irene Rosine. Standing: John Davis, Norma Kasmauskis, Carole Jenner, Mary Babka, Rosanne Krause, Mary Condon, John Strange, Robert Cummins.





Kover-Kraft made ironing board covers.



Hetero Products made candle holders

## *j. a.*



Domestic Metal Products made wire products.

Under the very capable direction of the Board of Directors and Mr. O. W. Schricker, Junior Achievement has had a very prosperous year. Five companies, composed of sixty-one members, made up the organization. The companies were: Home Craft, sponsored by Marvel Industries, made cigarette and soap dispensers.

Hetero Products made candle holders under the direction of the Harter Corporation.

Kover-Kraft, sponsored by the Freeman Manufacturing Company and the Burr Oak Business Men, made ironing board covers.

Metal Masters, who made planters, were sponsored by the Kirsch Company.

Domestic Metal Products, sponsored by National Carbon Coated Company, made wire products.

Last August Sturgis organization sent three achievers, as representatives of Junior Achievement, to Bloomington, Indiana for the annual National Conference. To end the year, J. A. has a dinner at which honors are given to outstanding achievers.

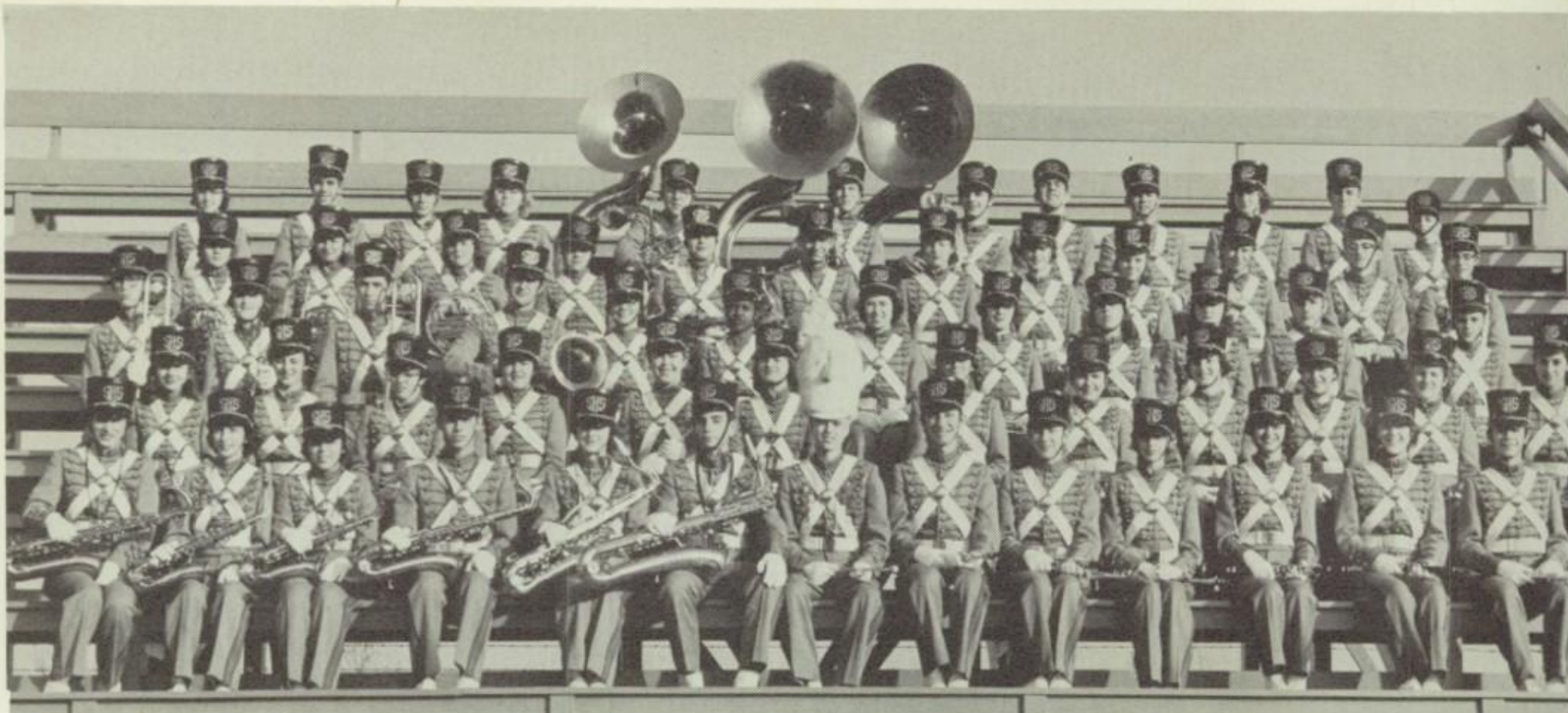


Home Craft made cigarette and soap dispensers.



Metal Masters who made planters.





The Sturgis Marching Band

## *marching band*



Richard Evert, Drum Major

The Sturgis Marching Band was composed of 60 regular marchers and 7 substitutes. They marched at all the football games except Lakeview. They attended Band Days at Michigan State and participated with 2,000 other band members at the half-time of the Michigan State and Indiana game. The band also marched the Halloween Parade.

The officers are: Band Captain—Paul Strait; 1st Lieutenant—John Brunson; Attendance Recorder—Jeannine Baylon; Secretary—Karen Kitson; Treasurer—Pat Horning; Librarians—Joan McHuron and Sonya Tibbott; Publicity Secretary—Barbara Briggs; Scrapbook—Mary Woods and Jan Blackburn; and Richard Evert our Drum Major.



"The departing Seniors"



# concert band.



Mr. Welty



Band Officers, 1st row—Jane Blackburn, Joan McHuron, Karen Kitson, Pat Horning, Sonnie Tibbott, Mary Woods. 2nd row—Richard Evert, Sam Welty, Paul Strait, John Brunson, Jim Parker.

To open the 1957-58 concert season, the band broadcast a series of radio programs live from the Sturgis-Young Auditorium.

This year some of the band members participated in the solo and ensemble contest which is held annually in Kalamazoo. Many of the soloists received top honors which gave them the right to go on to the state contest.

On March 1, the band travelled to Portage, Michigan, for the District Band and Orchestra Festival. Each year bands from all over the state meet at a designated city to compete in this contest. Previous to the contest, the band directors from each city assembled and decided on a required number. Each band was judged on this composition as well as several other selected numbers.

At the end of the season the Band Bust ended a very successful year.



1st row—Richard Evert, Sam Welty, Paul Strait, Pat Horning, Mary Woods, Roger Howard, Joyce Droud, Nancy Stewart, Barbara Briggs, Sue Charron, Karen Mark. 2nd row—Jane Blackburn, Lana Sherman, Judy Davis, Judy Benson, Kathryn Crawford, Barbara Fry, Ronnie Magnus, Luanne Norton, Karen Fraylick, Nancy Kirby, Jeanne Seybert, Karen Kitson, Ishmael Brothers, Judy Bothamley, Jill Freeland. 3rd row—Joanna Rommel, Toni Tallman, Tom Borkowski, Don Nordahl, Joann Ash, Betty Simpson, Ward Weske, Randy Agley, Mary Jane Brooks, Linda Hodgson, Dan Nelson, Tom Boaz, Sharon Baker, Lillian Zollman, Bob Walker, Gene Harter, Carole Sargent, John Brunson, Roger Kline, Jerry Luedders, Sonya Tibbott, John McHuron. 4th row—April Upham, Jeff Schrader, Gene Brower, Mike Boyle, Stewart Swihart, Jerry Firth, Brian Weaver, Jim Parker, Dave Bixler, Robert Sherman, Jerry Meyers, Linda Graff, Gary Parlin, Linda Elliott, Paul Lepard, Carl Curtis.



*junior band.*



*7th grade band*





# *a capella choir*



MR CASNER



1st Row—Karen Leihn, Secretary; Sherrill Kershner, President. 2nd Row—Pat Eckert, Treasurer; Paul Trehearne, Vice-President.



First row: Janice Barnhart, Lillian Zollman, Pat Eckert, Ruthanne Nelson, Barbara Lawniczak, Mary Carpenter, Pam Gelvin, Mary Reed, Janet Howard. Second row: Linda Dibble, Sharon Olds, Sherrill Kershner, Gloria Friesner, Sue Weaver, Ruthie Runyan, Sally Weaver, Sharon Baker, Susan Hilton, Sonya Tibbott, Sherry Broadwell. Third row: Sandi Carter, Robert Cummins, Melvin Van Vorst, David Bixler, Paul Trehearne, Jeff Schrader, Dave Reichard, Karen Leihn.

The A Capella Choir has become a tradition of Sturgis High School. It was originated late in the spring of 1951 under the capable direction of Myron D. Casner, director of the choral department. The members, chosen from the chorus for music ability, voice quality, experience, and willingness to work, wear royal blue robes with white collars. Although the choir boasts a membership of thirty, it is somewhat smaller than in previous years, due to the small amount of male participants. Besides engaging in the numerous school festivities such as the spring music festival, the seasonal assemblies, and commencement ceremonies, the chorus has had many outside engagements.





1st row, left to right—Carol De Vries, Mary Reed, Janet Holshuh, Bonnie Wilson, Karen Storms, Carol Locey, Gwen Davis, Lillian Zollman, Jeanne Stults. 2nd row, left to right—Edna Wilder, Judy Rommel, Karen Leihn, Pam Gelvin, Janice Godden, Karen Casey, Pat Eckert, Ruthanne Nelson, Joan Gerardo. 3rd row, left to right—Dorothy Moore, Sharon Knight, Florence Locey, Myrtle Rivers, Sue Weaver, Ruthie Runyan, Sally Weaver, Sherrill Kershner, Gloria Friesner, Janet Falkenstein, Barbara Lawniczak. 4th row, left to right—John Strange, Marion Lawniczak, Jr., Ronnie Lawniczak, David Bixler, John Tibbetts, Paul Trehearne, Dave Puschel, Jeff Schrader, Melvin Van Vorst, Ronald Bobay, Dave Reichard.

*senior*

*chorus*

The Senior Chorus had another excellent year and as usual there were many old members returning as well as new. They participated in the traditional Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter assemblies, and in the Christmas Concert with the band. The ninth grade girls spent their second year separated from the other chorus as the Ninth Grade Chorus. This system was improvised last year to give the younger singer a year of individual and small group experience before entering the Senior Chorus.

The activities for the year were climaxed by the annual Spring Concert and singing festival in Kalamazoo. Officers this year are: Sherrill Kershner, President; Paul Trehearne, Vice-President; Patty Eckert, Treasurer and Karen Leihn, Secretary.



1st row, left to right—Mary Ellen Storms, Linda Sauer, Kathy Thomasma, Jeanine Mildenberg, Dolores Rayner, Annjeanette Ankney, Zola Van Vorst, Francis Smith, Kathy Schroeder, Helen Schmidt, Diana Poley, Margie Otto. 2nd row, left to right—Martha Arney, Jane Barnell, Linda Wyer, Judy Bogen, Betty Walters, Sue Gazlay, Joyce Burton, Sharon Bradley, Mary Ann Boocher, Sondra Siegel, Carole Vernon, Dixie Wagner. 3rd row, left to right—Lynne Wilson, Alice Bowdish, Violet Godden, Brenda Fox, LuAnn Littlefield, Sandi Carter, Linda Dibble, Sue Hilton, Mary Carpenter, Sharon Olds, Marjorie Tarr, Sherry Broadwell, Grace Waltke, Kendra Johnson. 4th row, left to right—Karen Paxton, Marlene Wetzel, Caryl Bricker, Linda Brouse, Sharon Monroe, Betty Malone, Janet Howard, Janice Barnhart, Sharon Baker, Judy Riley, Marie Sponsel, Sally Reed.



# *junior chorus*

## *7th grade*



7th Grade—1st Row—Judy Schwartz, Pamela Avery, Derma Rose, Virginia Laws, Mary Holliday, Mary Jane Westphal, LoEsa Borkowski, Linda Heidenreich, Pat McLaughlin, Frances Lock. 2nd. Row—Carol Bothamley, Mary Myers, Linda Weaver, Betty Sunday, Coral Fry, Pam Myers, Susan Hawver, Linda Hetzler, Judy Carver, Paula Dragoo. 3rd Row—Kay Deal, Judy Lehman, Dee Walter, Vicki Galbreath, Kathaleen Ritter, Jane Wagner, Diane Haack, Linda McLaughlin, Ruth Spearow. 4th Row—Max Ake, Ted Garvey, Douglas Wilber, Douglas Peck, John Ott, Rick Field, Richard Miller, Allen Ayres, Candy Mann, Linda Tracy.

## *8th grade*



8th Grade—1st Row—Janice Blood, Pam Tricker, Carol Cunningham, Sandy Dowty, Diane Bixler, Margaret Wolfe, Jane Woods, Jean Woods, Mary Mooney. 2nd Row—Susan Houck, Barbette Firth, Toni Kambol, Judy Locke, Barb Kronberg, Susie Bee, Mary Brubaker, Jane Casner. 3rd Row—Kem Upham, Jane Newman, Karen Holshuh, Sylvia Meyers, Louise Garnett, Bonniw Spearow, Connie Lahmeyer, Judi Miller, Elaine Kunzie. 4th Row—Bill Van Zile, Sanford Church, Archie Tobias, Jan Taylor.



# *trojan staff*



Sitting: Pam Gelvin, David Mieras, Mary Heidenreich.  
Standing: Jane Blackburn, Sherrill Kershner, Co-editors.



Elizabeth Whitelock, Advisor

Jane Blackburn, Pam Gelvin, Mary Heidenreich, and Sherrill Kershner were the co-editors for the Trojan this year. In November they attended Newspaper Day at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo with Miss Whitelock. While they were there, they learned many new ideas for the paper. The Trojan News came out every two weeks and the Trojan was the quarterly. In the papers, we strived for a variety of news including feature stories, editorials, flashes, columns, and jokes.



Sitting: Fran Arklie, Alumni Editor, Rosemary Young, Literary Editor. Standing: Diane Potter, Club Editor, Mary Troyer, Exchange Editor.



Dave Meiras, Sports Editor  
Judy Van Meter and Tom Stapleton, Assistants

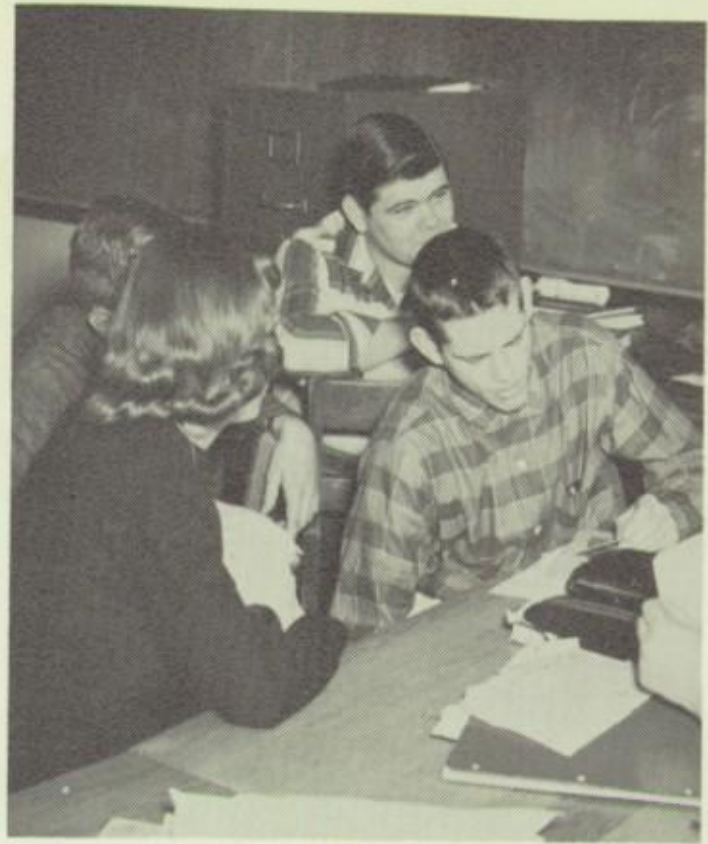


Sitting: Rosemary Walters, Jeannine Baylor, Stencilists. Janet Reed, Business and Advertising Manager. Standing: Karen Kitson, Terry Taylor, Stencilists.





"Is this the way it's supposed to look, Chief?"



"Conference in the Corner"



"Something interesting, girls?"



"That's quite a face, Patty."



"You don't need a comma here."



"Typing with one finger isn't easy"



## *junior honor roll*



First row:

Dorothy Moore, Marilyn Tisdell, Bonnie Cross, Melody Norton, Joanna Rommel, Karen Leihn, Karen George, Jane Wiedlea.

Second row: Jill Freeland, Dixie Thompson, Sue Ann Charron, Franklin Harter, Terry Arklie, Judy Bothamley, Marcia Lehmer, Ginger Stevens, Gloria Will.



## *quill and scroll*

This year, nineteen seniors were selected by Miss Whitelock to be members of the Quill and Scroll, an international journalistic society. Quill and Scroll, organized in 1926, is awarded to individuals for outstanding achievement in the field of journalism. To qualify, one must also be in the upper third of his class and a member of either the Trojan or Sturgensian staff. He must also be recommended by Miss Whitelock, the faculty advisor.



1st row—Adrienne Housour, Jeannine Baylor, Martha Young, Jane Blackburn. 2nd row—Pat Eckert, Pam Gelvin, Sherrill Kershner, Rosemary Young, Fran Arklie. 3rd row—Rosemary Walters, Janet Reed, Carol Bauer, Mary Heidenrich, Judy Van Meter. 4th row—Sandy Hodgson, Pat Horning, Dave Mieras, Karen Kitson, Mary Woods.





The Student Council

## *student council*



Sandra Potter

Mr. Snow

Dale Ropp

The students of Sturgis High School are well represented by the Student Council. Each class has two members.

In the annual class elections, each class elects one person for a two year term. The seventh grade elects two people, one for a one year term and the other for a two year term. The Student Council's chief activities are the sponsoring of the Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter assemblies. The Council is also responsible for pep meetings to the various clubs.

The President of the Student Council acts as Master of Ceremonies for all assemblies.

The members of the Student Council this year are: President, Tom Hickman; Representatives, Dale Ropp, Janet Horrom, Charles Barnell, Mary Finlay, Sandra Potter, Sally Sites, Dennis McCarthy, Kay Forrest, Harriet Finlay, Paul Roe, and Deanna Walker. Mr. Snow is the permanent advisor for the Student Council.



Tom Hickman, President





## *french club*

The French classes this year organized a new club called "Le Cercle Francais." The officers that were elected by the club are: Shari Crowell, President; Jerry Luedders, Vice-President; Carol Howard, Secretary; Steve Pinney, Treasurer; and Adrienne Housour and Mike Boyle, committee members. The French Club has twenty-five members who meet once a month.



1st row—Jane Wiedlea, Lew Jean Kline, Marjorie Oxender, Jerry Luedders, Bob Forrest, Adrienne Housour, Mary Heidenreich, Rosemary Walters, Bonnie Cross. 2nd row—Mrs. Ash, Sandra Siegel, Judy Brebner, Bob Blood, Bob Walker, Don Nordahl, Steve Pinney, Shari Crowell, Carol Howard, Judy Riley, Linda Holtz, Roger Horrom.

## *dance band*



1st row—Carl Curtis, Paul Lepard, Same Welty, John Brunson.  
2nd row—Sharon Baker, Ron Magnus, Bob Walker.  
3rd row—Mike Boyle, Dave Bixler, Jim Parker, Gene Harter.





"This play is called 'Our Town.'"

## "Our Town"

*Our Town*, a play in three acts by Thornton Wilder, was chosen by the class of '58 for their junior play. Although this play was unusual and rather difficult to produce because of the absence of both properties and scenery, both casts gave marvelous performances. Of course, the success of this play would never have been possible without the patient guidance of Mr. Tyler, our director, assisted by Judy Van Meter, Judy Morrison, and Terry Taylor, his capable staff of student directors.

None of the people who were connected with the play will ever forget the joys and sorrows of the inhabitants of *Our Town*.



"Mama, do you know what I love most in the world?"

MONEY!



"She got an awful scare, Mr. Morgan."



Judy Morrison, Judy Van Meter, Terry Taylor, John Packer, John Tibbott.



"Eh, George." "Yao-o-o!" "He's scared to death."





Mary Heidenreich, Adrienne Housour, Janet Reed



TOOT! TOOT!

## "the great big doorstep"

After six weeks of hectic rehearsals under the direction of Mr. Tyler and the student directors, our senior class put on its annual play, "The Great Big Doorstep." The action of the play revolved around a family living in the Bayou country of Louisiana. Mr. Crochet was a ditch-digger and among other problems had trouble with his stomach. Mrs. Crochet carried the burden of a large family—a pair of mischievous twins, a son who left home to drive a fruit truck at New Orleans, a daughter whose only future was working at Woolworth's and her other daughter whom she wanted to become a Nun. Although Mrs. Dupre, the landlady, caused much trouble, the day was finally saved by Mrs. Beaumont Crochet, the florist from New Orleans.



First row: Carole Marks, Diane Potter  
Second row: Jeannine Baylor, Martha Young, Karen Kitson, Jerry Blighton, Paul Strait  
Third row: Pat Horning, Jerry Meyers, Bill Falkenstein, Bob McLaughlin, Mary Woods.



First row: Mary Troyer, Jane Blackburn  
Second row: Pam Gelvin, Sherrill Kershner, Rosemary Young, Jerry Blighton, Rich Thomas  
Third: Jobanna Robinson, John Brunson, Bob McLaughlin, Alan Howard, Janet Ryan



"Now Ma....."



# j-hop



Diane Potter

Martha Young

Queen Sherrill Kershner

Jane Blackburn

Karen Kitson

"Balara Noctis" was the theme for the 1957 J-Hop. The atmosphere was that of Rome. An arch of green leaves branched over the couples and on each side were park benches and small carts filled with brightly, colored flowers. A huge painting of Roman ruins made the setting complete.

Queen Sherrill Kershner was escorted up a green grassy path to her throne, where she was crowned with a sparkling gold crown by the President of the Junior Class, Bob McLaughlin. After taking her place on the throne, her court: Jane Blackburn, Karen Kitson, Diane Potter, and Martha Young stood on either side of her. She was then presented with a dozen red roses and a gold compact.

Charlie Brown's Band from Albion entranced everyone with dreamy music. During the intermission, Italian punch and pizza was served.



Queen Sherrill



An arch of green leaves





Martha Young

Karen Kitson

Sherrill Kershner

Diane Potter

Queen Jane Blackburn

# homecoming

The co-sponsors of the fifth annual Homecoming Game were the Senior Class and the Varsity Club. Albion, our opponent, was gloriously defeated by a score of 14-0. Jane Blackburn was chosen by the Senior Class to reign as Homecoming Queen over the evening's ceremonies. Those serving on her court were: Diane Potter, Martha Young, Karen Kitson, and Sherrill Kershner.

During pre-game ceremonies, the girls rode on to the football field in three convertibles. After touring the field, the girls were escorted by Varsity football players to the edge of the field, where Tom Hickman, president of the Student Council, crowned Queen Jane with a garland of red roses, and Jerry Keyser presented her with a bouquet of roses. Jane and her court also reigned at the dance following the game. The theme of the dance was "Harvest Holiday" with autumn leaves decorating the gym. The Sturgis Dance Band provided the music for the evening.



## co-op



First row: Vivian Lego, Roger Diggins, Dwight Sunday, Gerald Pierson, Carole Diggins. Second row: Janet Ryan, Janet Walters, John Pappas, Bob Cross, Dalton Summey, Mary Stewart, JoAnn Smith.



First row: Judy Machan, Audra Blood, JoAnne (Rawles) Meyers, Tamara Frazier, Karen Oxender, Judy Morrison. Second row: Ben Crabill, Hershel Wilder, David Darby, Don Church, Sandra Gest, Mt. Casault. Third row: Clyde Cominator, Margaret Phillips, Clifford Bricker, Gordon Adams, Mary Davis, Nicky Guilford.

## cafeteria



Mrs. Sheetz, Audrey Smith, Matthew Sturgis, Beverly Parish, Ron King, Edna Wilder, Sharon Frohriep, John Strange.





## *radio*

Five days a week, from 5:45 to 6:00, Mr. Smith broadcasts over W. S. T. R. On his program, Mr. Smith performs a service to S.H.S. by informing the people of Sturgis and the surrounding area of the activities of our school. Band and chorus music, pep meetings, and assemblies, are all presented on tape. Mr. Smith also interviews faculty members and recaps the ball games. We would like to thank Mr. Smith for his fine job of publicizing the activities of S.H.S.

## *janitors*



These are the men who do a wonderful job keeping our school clean. They wash the blackboards, sweep the floors, shovel the walks, rake the leaves, keep the fires going, and clean the desks, among other things which are all in a day's work.

This is a very thankless job and our staff goes about their work uncomplainingly. Their work is taken for granted and we do not realize just what we would do without them. If everyone would do his part the job would be easier.

Thank-you's are in order and as seniors our hats are off, as yours should be, to the janitorial staff of Sturgis High.





"Yodie"



Adrienne



Dave M.



Diane



Stew S.



Patty E.



Mary H.



Sandy H.



Karen and Jerry



Audrey S.



Dale



Pat H.



Carole M.



Melicent



Carol B.



Pam



Rosemary W.



Mary W.



John B.



Jerry M.



Fran A.



Fran E.



Judy M.



Jane



Dave P.



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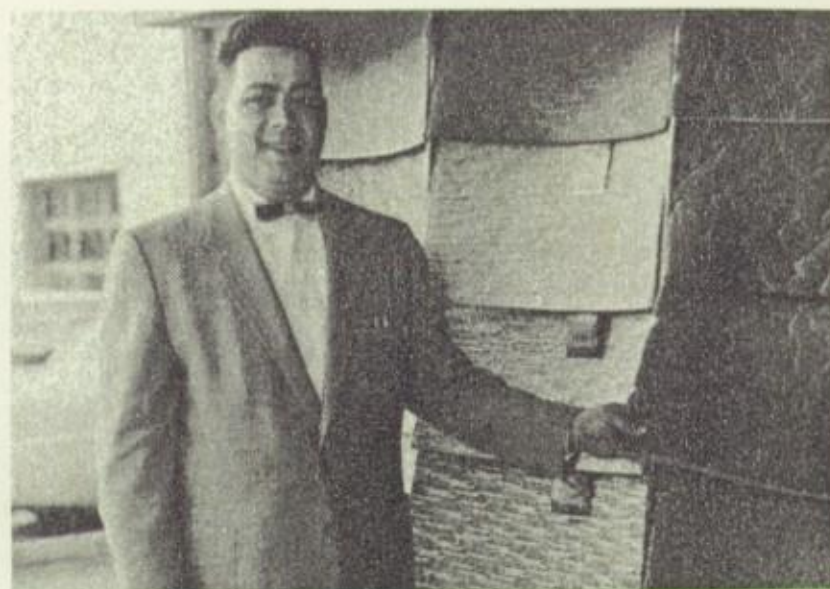
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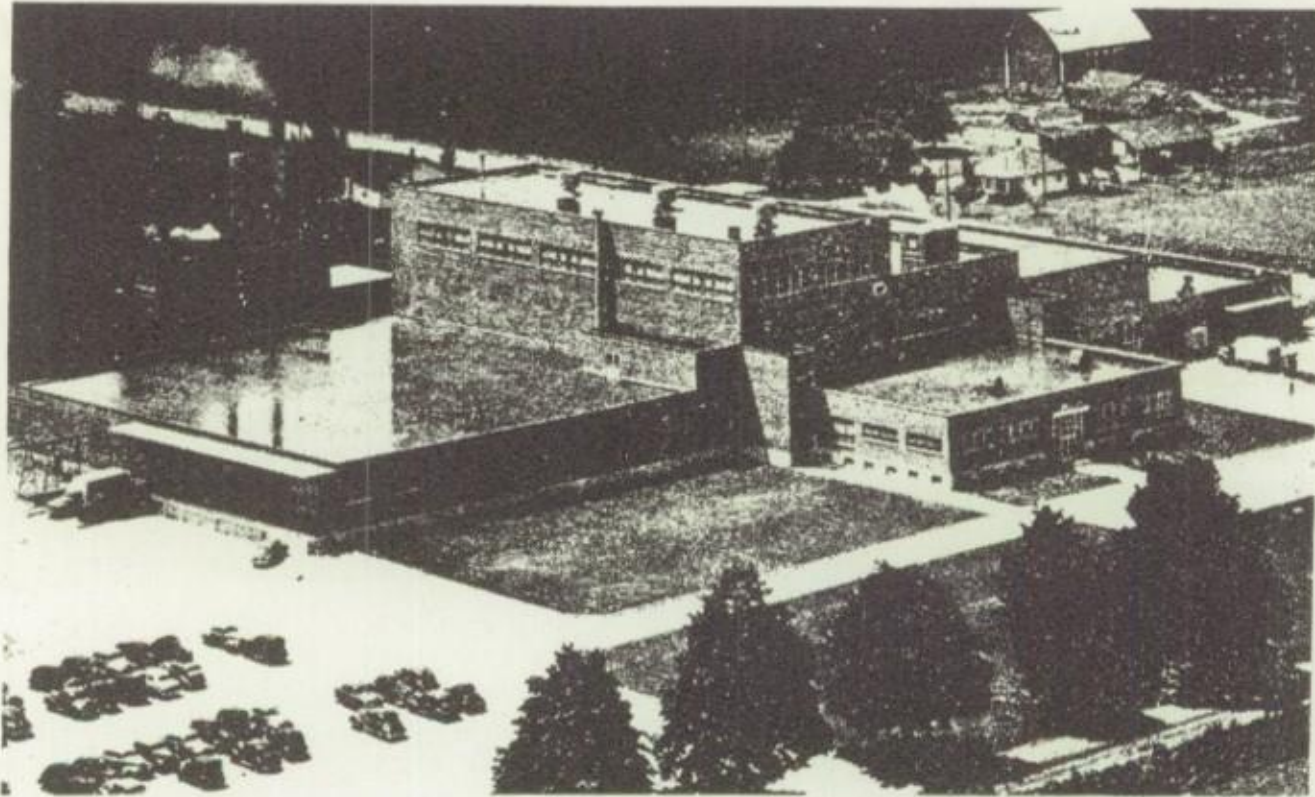


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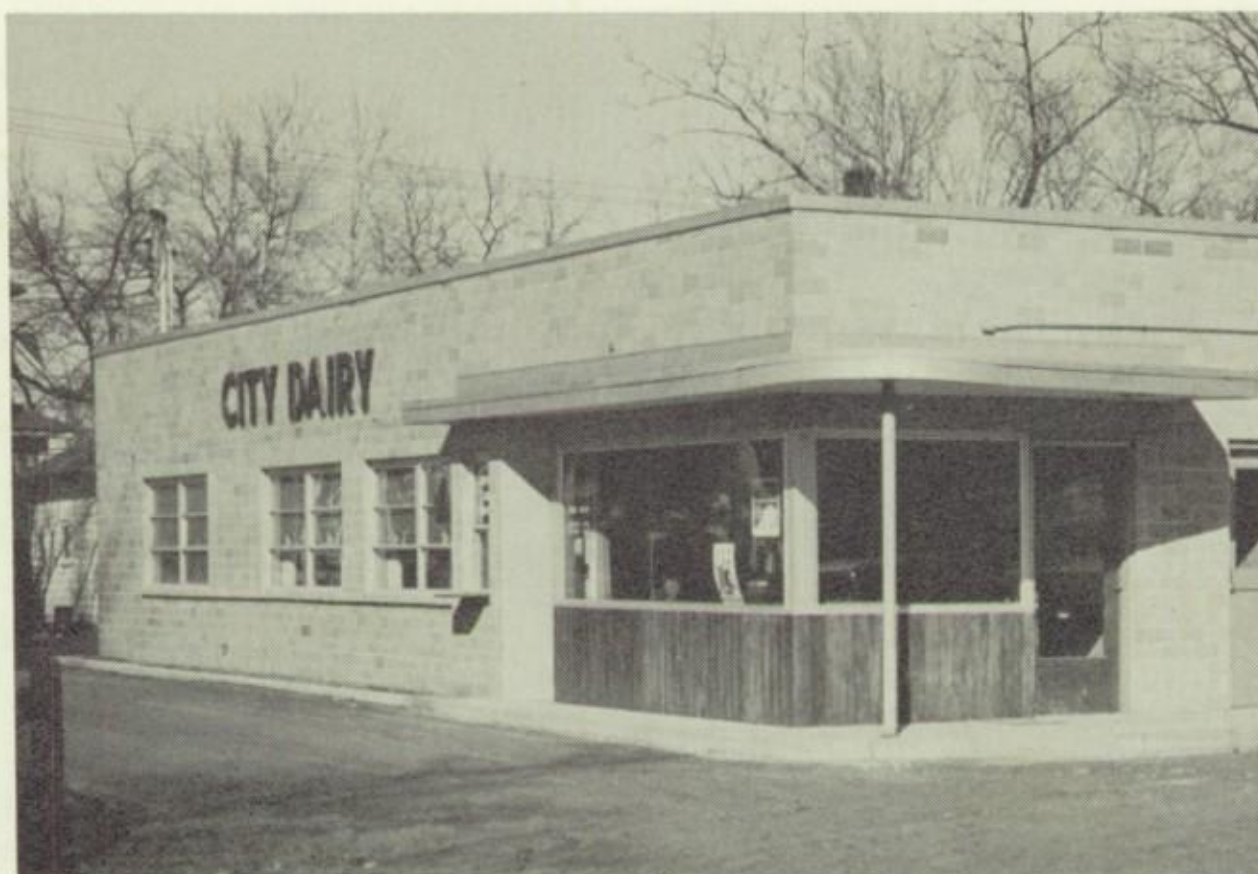
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fun this summer.  
Diane Hacks

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People like to see you,  
but only in the zoo.

P.S. I was only kidding.  
Carol Bothamby  
C.B.

Good luck to a  
real hot bid. Stick  
with those girls and  
don't work too hard  
this summer, and  
watch those cars.

John Lichty  
P.S. Good luck with Dee.

Best wishes to you  
in the future

Barb

Jenner

Good Luck

Good Luck



Lots of  
luck in all your  
future years at S.H.S.!!  
Be good and have fun this  
summer!!  
Judy Post

Ricky,  
Have fun this  
summer with Deanna.  
I might see you  
this summer.

Patty  
P.S. Good luck on Exams

Hi Rick -  
Good luck for next  
year. I think you'll  
need it! I'll probably  
see you at our house  
this summer. Have  
fun this summer!  
Janie

Hope you do  
very well on your  
~~physics~~ test  
Dan Kayner

Hi Ricky -  
Best of luck to  
a real swell guy!  
Have fun this summer  
and be good. Don't do  
anything I wouldn't  
do. Marshall  
Hart

Best of wishes  
throughout the years.  
Tom Hunter



Hi Ricky!  
Best of luck in the  
years to come. Be good  
this summer! S & E!

Ricky,  
Lots of luck in  
the future and with  
Dee. I have fun  
with Mrs. Reich next  
year. Margy S.

Ricky,  
Good luck in  
your future years  
at S. H. S. and  
also with Dee  
but then you won't  
need it. Boy, those  
shows were fun.  
Priscilla

P.S.  
Have fun with  
Dee this summer.

To a nice kid.  
Stay as "Jewes" as you  
are now. Linda Hutchins<sup>12</sup>

Ricky,  
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you in your future  
years at S. H. S. Be  
a good kid.  
See you around.  
Linda  
Saw



